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Capt. C. B. Seeley, dealer in Real Estate, Stocks and Securities, has removed his office to No. 87 Fifth st., the rooms lately occupied by Palmer and Mitchell, opposite *Gazette* building.

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Astrology.

Ladies do not fail to consult Madame Devill immediately, and hear the startling revelations of the past and future. You will not regret your money and be twice repaid for your trouble. All who visited her yesterday were highly gratified, and think her the wonder of the world. All should remember to go as soon as possible, for her time is short in this city, and the last day will be crowded so that many will have to be turned away. We shall look for you all to-morrow.

To Be Heard From.

General SHERMAN will turn up before long, to take a hand in the grand operations of the closing epoch. He moved Saturday or Sunday, and we may feel confident he went in the right direction.

The force under General STANLEY—the cavalry under General STONEMAN—which left Knoxville, and was well advanced towards Lynchburg or into North Carolina, on the first, will also turn up, as GRANT intended it should.

"THE PULPIT."—The COMMERCIAL to-morrow will contain a sermon by Rev. Dr. PAGE, on "The Normal Predicate of man's life time on earth, or the union of contemplation and of action," which we think will be read with interest.

Trans-Mississippi.

The Next Point of Interest.

STRENGTH OF THE REBEL ARMY.

Their Effective Force 53,000 Men.

Rebel Movements and Affairs in Texas.

S. M., an old resident of Mobile left that city on the first of last December, crossed the Mississippi on the 14th, at Bruinsburg, Mississippi, and thence travelled by way of Alexandria and Waco, Austin, Texas, and returned by way of Shreveport and Monroe, Louisiana. On the 19th of February he left San Antonio, and on the 19th of March left Shreveport, and arrived at Natchez on the 25th. From this source we gather the following:

Major General Walker is in command of the rebels in the Department of Texas; Buckner has the Department of Louisiana, and Magruder that of Arkansas. The headquarters of the Department of Louisiana are still at Shreveport.

There are under Walker about 8,000 infantry, at Galveston, Texas, and nearly all the cavalry of that Department are foraging on the Brazos and Trinity rivers.

Gen. Polignac is at Grand Ecore, with about 7,000 men. There are also some unattached brigades in that vicinity. Forney's division is at Kechi, twenty-one miles from Shreveport, on the road to Mansfield. Churchill's division is thirty miles east of Shreveport, at Minden, Mo. Gen. Parsons has a small division of about 4,000 infantry between Camden and Homer, Arkansas, in winter quarters.

Magruder is at Camden with one brigade of infantry and one of cavalry, numbering together about 5,000 men. Swamp Harrison's brigade is between Minsas and Oak Hills. Gen. Lee's guerrillas have crossed to the west of the Mississippi, in consequence of his refusal to obey the orders of his superior, Buckner. He was operating in the neighborhood of Deer Creek at last accounts.

The effective force of the Trans-Mississippi Department is 53,000, which is the actual number taken from the estimates of Smith's Adjutant General.

The army is in fine condition in everything except discipline, having plenty of clothing, provisions and ordnance stores. It is, however, becoming badly demoralized on account of the continued bad news from the East Mississippi Department.

Nearly everybody is wild with the cotton mania. About 5,000 wagons are employed in hauling cotton from Louisiana, Texas and the Indian Territory to Matamoras.

Specie is more plenty in Texas than ever before, and yet goods are very high. Confederate currency is not used to any extent in Texas.

A large majority of the people are in favor of a reconstruction of the Union, and would move in that direction were they not prevented by the military authorities from effecting any organization. The people are generally tired, dispirited and worn out with the war, and would be willing to settle on almost any terms had they the power.

It is generally understood that Kirby Smith is doing a big thing in the cotton business, and he is regarded as inefficient in military affairs.

There was an order at Shreveport from Richmond for 40,000 troops to cross the Mississippi, but as the troops refused to cross last summer, it was generally thought that force would not be applied to compel them to cross. A system of volunteering and new organization had, however, been adopted, under which many were volunteering to cross, though it was impossible to estimate the number. Our informant saw this order at the Adjutant General's office at Shreveport.

Mr. S. M. owns a plantation in Alabama and also a ranch in Texas, and he was enabled to travel under the supposition that he was going from place to place on business.

Gov. Watts, of Alabama, had passes from Dick Taylor to cross the Mississippi into Texas, and from the chief of secret service of the trans-Mississippi department, and from Swamp Harrison to recross on his return to Alabama.—*Cin. Gazette.*

The Policy of Jeff. Davis.

The Richmond *Sentinel* of Saturday last contained an article, supposed to have been written by Jeff. Davis, of which the following is a paragraph foreshadowing his policy in the extremity which has overtaken him:—

If we can effect our safety in no other way, we can effect it by ruining them, and it will be in our power to ruin them by refusing to surrender our cause. A town may be captured, a county may be overrun, and so long as it is occupied the inhabitants must yield such obedience to the captors as the laws of war require; not by taking an unlawful oath of allegiance, but by the military neutrality which may be exacted of citizens in their situation. But if such towns and counties are held, others will be free, and to capture a second, a first must be liberated, and be discharged of its temporary and constrained neutrality. An army twice as large as Lincoln has would not suffice to hold a country as extensive as ours, with a population implacably hostile as ours would be, and determined to be free.

Let it be well understood that this is our resolve,—whatever fortune may temporarily betide us, it would be no disgrace to be crushed down by an overwhelming force, but it would be an infamy to surrender. It would be no disgrace to be held down by a superior force, but it would be to lie without constraint. That instant the force is removed, our struggle would be resumed. We must take a vow as sacred as Hannibal's, and we must require it of our children, as Hannibal's father required it of his, to resist enslavement of our country and the domination of the Yankees while there is breath in our bodies. Thus resolved, even the most adverse present fortunes could not rob us of the prize for which we contend. The struggle must be protracted, but we should realize the truth of the lines—

> "Freedom's battle once begun,
> Bequeathed from bleeding sire to son,
> Though baffled oft, is ever won."

On Tuesday evening a difficulty occurred between a couple of soldiers named Boyd and John Reilly, at Piedmont, West Virginia, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, during which the former shot the latter, killing him instantly. The incensed friends of Reilly attempted to wreak summary vengeance upon Boyd, but his Captain had him well protected in the guard house. On Wednesday morning, however, they succeeded in getting possession of him and hung him to the limb of an apple tree until he was dead.

LONDON.—John B. Gough, the distinguished lecturer, will give his first lecture this season to-morrow evening, in Concert Hall, on "London, the great metropolis." There will be no secured seats to this lecture, so that those who design going to hear him should procure their tickets in advance, and go early.

FIRST EDITION.

12, MIDNIGHT.

THE ROUT!

The Enemy Fleeing Before Grant's Victorious Legions.

Sheridan's Pursuit on Tuesday.

LEE'S ARMY COMPLETELY ROUTED

His Men are Deserting by Hundreds.

Force Remaining with Him about 20 000.

A. P. Hill's Corps nearly Annihilated.

Statement of a Captured Rebel Officer

He says their Men will not Stand against Grant's Troops.

Lee's only hope is to join Johnston with the Remnant of His Army and give Battle to Sherman.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

A letter from your special correspondent with the Army of the Potomac, dated Headquarters on the Field, April 4th, gives the following account of operations that day: To-day has been spent in active pursuit of the enemy, who are retreating pell mell in the direction of Danville. The roads over which they travelled are strewn with small arms, broken down caissons, ambulances, some of them containing wounded, and army wagons laden with supplies. Hundreds of rebels, worn out by the continuous fighting of the past six days, line the roadsides, and their wounded fill the houses for miles off the road.

The rout and demoralization of Lee's army is complete, and if the statement of captured officers and men can be believed, he will not get to Danville with fifteen thousand of his men. Hundreds desert whenever a halt is made, and strike for their homes, and large numbers, overcome with fatigue, become willing prisoners.

Sheridan, with his cavalry and infantry, is close on the heels of the retreating army, and to day captured over two thousand prisoners belonging to Gordon's Corps. The Second Corps, which forms the rear guard of the rebel army. Hill's corps was nearly annihilated in the battles of Saturday and Sunday, and has ceased to exist as an organization. Its commander fell pierced with three bullets, and two of its division commanders were also wounded, one of them mortally. This corps, according to statements of prisoners, lost over twelve thousand men in killed and wounded and prisoners, in the battles before Petersburg, and about five thousand have deserted since the retreat began.

Lee has probably reached Burksville. Our army will be there to-morrow, and my next despatch will probably chronicle another crushing blow to the army of Northern Virginia. The wounded have all been sent to the rear. Supplies are plenty. The army is in exuberant spirits and anxious to pursue the enemy as long as he has a brigade left.

LATER.—A Colonel belonging to a South Carolina regiment, and an aid on General Hill's staff has just been brought in a prisoner. He says that Lee, when he began his retrograde movement, had about thirty thousand men left, but that his losses since then by capture and desertion have reduced his army to less than twenty-five thousand. He represents the *morale* of the troops as gone beyond hope of redemption, and that their officers, from the highest to the lowest, acknowledge that they cannot be made to stand again before our victorious legions. Lee's only hope is to get to Johnston with the remnant of his army, and then give battle to Sherman. The Virginians, he states, refuse outright to go beyond their own State to fight, and avail themselves of every opportunity to desert. The North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia troops are overjoyed at the prospect of getting out of Virginia, and nearer to their own homes. The weather is fine, and the roads are tolerably good.

FROM MOBILE.

Attack on the City by Union Forces and Gunboats

Monitor Milwaukee Blown up by a Torpedo.

[By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, 6.

The steamer Guiding Star, from New Orleans on the 26th South West Pass 28th, and Key West 2d has arrived. The United States steamer Caucassian arrived at Key West April 2d and reported an attack of the Union forces and gunboats, on Mobile on March 30th. No particulars have been obtained, except that the Monitor Milwaukie was blown up, off Dog River bar by a torpedo.

The *Times* New Orleans correspondent of the 24th says. On the 18th General Steele's column started from Pensacola and Barrancas for Blakeley landing, on the Tombigbee, with the purpose of flanking the defences of Mobile. It is thought it will compel the Rebels to fall back; up the Alabama, as it will be the only opening left to them, if it be not already blockaded—on the 22d Wilson's cavalry were heard from, doing well.

NEW ORLEANS, March 31,
VIA CAIRO, April 6.

The *True Delta* says that headquarters have received information that a portion of General Canby's army was within five miles of Mobile. Siege guns were in position. Shells could be thrown into the suburbs of the city. The attack on Fort Bradley, the main defense of Mobile, Frank Gardner commanding, had already commenced. Maury is commanding Mobile, Dick Taylor the Spanish fort. The bombardment of the latter commenced on the 28th. Canby, Granger and Smith were five miles up Fishing Creek on the 24th. Heavy cannonading on the 22d was caused by the gunboats shelling the woods at the mouth of Fishing Creek.

Cotton good; Ordinary 38.

THOMAS!

WILSON'S CAVALRY EXPEDITION.

Destination Mobile.

Slight Opposition from the Enemy.

No Difficulty in Getting Supplies

NEW YORK, April 6.

A *Herald* dispatch, dated Russelville, Ala., speaking of the cavalry column of Thomas' army under Wilson, says: The force consists of three divisions, and was soon to be joined by a fourth. Its destination was Selma, Montgomery, and Mobile. The country, so far as travel d, contains only old men, women, children and negroes. Provisions were plenty, and our foragers found no difficulty in obtaining supplies.

A few rebels appeared and skirmished with the advance, but this was the only opposition met with on the 24th. Many rebel deserters delivered themselves up.

A British Officer in Richmond—His Treatment by the Rebels.

NEW YORK, April 6.

A British officer, who signs himself F. A. Robartes, Lieutenant Colonel of Her Britannic Majesty's regiment of the 4th hussars, addressed a letter to the British Parliament complaining of his treatment in Richmond. He says the prison was filthy, and full of vermin, food not fit for a dog to eat, and the conduct of the prison officials brutal in the extreme.

Subscriptions to U. S. Christian Commission in Boston.

BOSTON, April 6.

Subscriptions to the United States Christian Commission in this city, up to the present time, amount to over $28,000, and are still going on.

Loss in the Second N. Y. Regiment.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The *Commercial's* Washington special says: The wounded men of the Second New York Cavalry, report their regiment went into Sunday's fight, dismounted, six hundred strong, and came out with only 300 men and one non-commissioned officer.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Funds to pay off Sherman's Army.

Arrival of Wounded from City Point.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PAYMASTERS

Officers in General Hancock's Corps.

Important Military Changes

Visit of Senators and Representatives to Richmond.

Sec. Seward's Condition Improved.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

Eleven millions of dollars will be required to pay off Sherman's army. The funds will be ready for delivery to Paymasters about the middle or the last of next week. Four boat loads of wounded arrived here last night and to day from City Point, and more are expected to arrive during the night.

The officers of the Paymaster General's Department are notified that where the date of enlistments of soldiers is not stated upon the muster rolls on the first muster for pay, on account of the non-receipt or descriptive rolls, or other defects in their history, they should be paid from the date of joining the company for duty, as certified to by the company commander.

The Secretary of War has decided that officers in the First Corps, Hancock's, are entitled to pay from the date and acceptance of their appointments under special regulations, which have been made with corps commanders. Their musters in will be made as soon as the organizations are complete and will cover dates of acceptance.

Brigadier General R. B. Mitchell has been relieved from the command of the District of Nebraska, and ordered to command the district of North Kansas, headquarters Fort Leavenworth.

Colonel J. L. Macdemus, United States Signal Corps, recently dismissed from the service for furnishing information to the newspapers in advance of its publication by the War Department, has been restored to his former rank, by the President.

Brig. Gen. P. E. Connor has been assigned to the command of the District of the Plains, which has recently been formed out of Utah Colorado and Nebraska.

A number of Senators and Representatives started to-day on a trip to Richmond, Hon Isaac N. Arnold, of Illinois, among the number.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The *Commercial's* special says: Ex-Senator Wilkinson, of Minnesota, still expects to supercede Mr. Dale as Commissioner of Indian Affairs. Col. Baker will soon turn his attention to the enlistment at Chicago, Buffalo and other Western cities.

The *Post* special says: President Lincoln, on Tuesday, gave a public reception in Jeff. Davis' parlor.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Secretary Seward's condition is much improved to-day from what it was last night, and he is now as comfortable as can be expected.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says: A letter received by the Sanitary Commission from Wilmington states that 8,000 more paroled Union prisoners have arrived there, and Sanitary supplies in abundance were at hand.

A gentleman just from Richmond states that the best informed persons there believe Davis fled to Georgia, and will attempt a re-establishment of his government at Augusta, which possesses strong national defenses and has been elaborately fortified.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

The brass band formerly belonging to the 14th Virginia, who arrived here to-day, took the oath of allegiance. After that ceremony they played a number of airs suited to their change of position, such as "Jordan is a hard road to travel," and "Ain't we glad to get out of the wilderness."

They report that rebel Maj. Gen. Anderson was killed in front of Petersburg on Saturday.

Grafton D. Hanson has been appointed clerk of the Paymaster General's office. He is represented to be a gentleman of courteous manners and well qualified for that position of trust and responsibility.

In addition to other injuries sustained by Secretary Seward, it was discovered to-day that his right jaw had been fractured. He was comparatively easy this afternoon.

Three hours after the information yesterday reached the Navy Department of the capture of the steamboat Harriet Deford, eight or ten vessels had started in pursuit of the pirates.

In compliance with an application made at the War Department to-day, one of the largest sized guns will be sent from St. Louis to Galena, Illinois, the home of General Grant, to be fired there in honor of the fall of Richmond.

Maj. Gen. Casey and staff leave Washington to-morrow for Richmond, to commence the organization of colored troops in that vicinity.

FROM RICHMOND.

CAPTURED REBEL MAILS.

Breckinridge Responsible for the Burning of the City.

Ravages of the Fire.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 6.

The mail boat to-day brought to Washington a large number of rebel officers as prisoners of war, and twenty-two bags of captured mails, which have been delivered to the War Department.

A passenger who left Richmond on Tuesday afternoon, says, that it was expeted the railroad between that city and Petersburg would be in running order to-day, a large force being employed to repair the track.

It appears from a statement of the same gentlemen, who had conversed with old acquaintances in Richmond, that Breckinridge was responsible for the burning of property, some of the merchants having entreated him, but in vain, to prevent the threatened destruction.

A rebel band of music was captured, or surrendered, and on the way up from City Point played a number of airs, such as "Dixie," "A life on the ocean wave." They appear to be delighted with their change of position.

The Post-office Department has ordered the Post-office at Hampton, Elizabeth County, Va., to be opened, and appointed Heron Whiting Postmaster.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The *Commercial's* Washington special says: Among the large buildings destroyed in Richmond were Messrs. Hexell, Lillys, Crew and Smith's tobacco factories, and the Mechanic's Institute. The entire squares bounded by Main street, the river, and Seventh and Fifteenth streets, are in ruins. Rebel stragglers got drunk and plundered the stables. A large number of persons were killed by the explosion of magazines. All the inmates of the alms house were killed or injured.

Thanksgiving Day in New York

A Proclamation by Governor Fenton.

ALBANY, April 6.

Proclamasion by Reuben E. Fenton, Governor of the State of New York.

Richmond has fallen. The wicked men who governed the so called Confederate States have fled from their capital, shorn of their power and influence. The rebel armies have been defeated, broken and scattered, and the formidable character of the rebellion is apparently at an end. Victory everywhere attends our banner, and our armies, under Providence, are rapidly moving to the closing scenes of the war. Through the self-sacrificing and heroic devotion of our soldiers the life of our Republic has been saved, and the integrity of the American Union maintained.

In view of the important events of the achievments of our noble armies and their gallant leaders; in view of the progress made in suppressing the rebellion, and the encouraging prospects of the early return of peace, there is great cause for rejoicing, thanksgiving and praise, I, Reuben E. Fenton, Governor of the State of New York, do therefore issue this, my proclamation, designating Friday, the 14th day of April, instant, the day appointed for the ceremony of raising the United States Flag on Fort Sumter, as a day of Thanksgiving, prayer and praise to Almighty God for the signal blessings we have received at His hands, and I hereby recommend religious societies of all denominations to open their places of worship, and the people abstaining from their usual avocations, to assemble therein, and with grateful hearts, unite in prayer and praise to Him who has so mercifully remembered us in the hour of our greatest need and peril.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the privy seal of the State, at the city of Albany, this sixth day of April, A. D., 1865.

[Signed,] R. E. FENTON.

By the Governor.

GEO. S. HASTINGS,
Private Secretary.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO 7-30 LOAN.

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.

Jay Cooke reports subscription to the seven-thirty loan to-day to the amount of $2,521,600, including $100,000 from Cleveland and $350,000 from New York, and $1,769 from Indianapolis, 5 ubscriptions for $50 and $100 each.

FROM SHERIDAN.

LEE HEADED OFF.

Probable Destruction of his Army

Sheridan Confident of Capturing It.

He Sees no Escape for Lee.

Capture of Artillery and Battle Flags.

OFFICIAL WAR BULLETIN.

WASHINGTON, April 6—12 M.

To Major General Dix:

The following telegram announces the probable speedy destruction of Lee's army, if our troops get up in time to support General Sheridan, who has headed off the enemy.

E. M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

JUNCTION SOUTHSIDE AND DANVILLE RAILROAD, BURKSVILLE, VA., April 5—5 P. M.—*Hon. E. M. Stanton, Secretary of War:* Lieut. Gen Grant received the following dispatch at 6:30 p. m., while on his way to this point, and at once proceeded to General Sheridan's Headquarters:

Gen. Grant desired me to transmit this dispatch to you on the opening of the telegraph at this place, and to say that the Sixth Corps, without doubt, reached Gen. Sheridan's position within an hour or two after the dispatch was written. Two divisions of the Twenty-fourth Corps will encamp here to-night, and one division of the Twenty-fifth at Black and White Station, Southside Railroad.

S. WILLIAMS, Brig. Gen.

HEADQUARTERS CAVALRY, GETTYSVILLE,
April 5, 3 P. M.

To Lieut. Gen. U. S. Grant:

I send you the enclosed letter which will give you an idea of the condition of the enemy, and their whereabouts. I sent General Davis' brigade this morning around on my left flank He captured at Fannie Cross Roads five pieces of artillery, about two hundred wagons, and eight or nine battle flags, and a number of prisoners. The Second corps is now coming up. I wish you were here yourself. I feel confident of capturing the Army of Northern Virginia, if we exert ourselves. I see no escape for Lee. I will put all my cavalry out on our left flank, except McKenzie, who is now on the right.

P. H. SHERIDAN,
Major General.

AMELIA COURT HOUSE, April 5:—*Dear Mother*.—Our army is ruined I fear. We are all safe as yet. Shyron left us sick. John Taylor is well; I saw him on yesterday. We are both alive this evening. Gen. Robert E. Lee is in the field near us. My trust is still in the justice of our cause and in God. Gen. Hill is killed. I saw Murrall a few moments since. Bernard Terry, it is said, was taken prisoner, but may get out. I send this by a regular. Love to all.—Your devoted son,

W. B. TAYLOR, Colonel.

Telegraph Dividend Declared.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The Western Union Telegraph Company have declared a quarterly dividend of two per cent., payable on the 25th inst.

TWO GUERRILLAS EXECUTED.

LOUISVILLE, April 6.

Two noted guerrillas, John Hedges and Enoch Downs, were executed here to-day by military order.

Arrival of Gold from California.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The Costa Rica brought from California one million six hundred thousand in gold.

STIMULANTS.

The Villainous Drugs that Americans Get Drunk on.

[From the New York Journal of Commerce.]

The high prices demanded for the ordinary exhilarating beverages to which the mass of the people have been accustomed in past years have led to the introduction of a new class of stimulants of a far more dangerous character. Tea is still retained, although neither in quantity nor quality is the consumption equal to the average of former seasons. Coffee, in its purity, is hardly known in a majority of private families; and except in first class hotels or saloons, the decoctions furnished to the public under this name are notoriously either adulterated or wholly spurious. The vegetable kingdom has been ransacked for substances which can be made to take on the appearance of ground coffee, and no sooner is an article discovered that can be successfully used for this purpose, than it, too, is humiliated, so that we have adulterations of the adulterant, and counterfeit mixtures to resemble the first imitations. Chiccory is not unwholesome, when pure, and may be added to the coffee berry, as an economic measure, without injury to the digestion. But almost every species of root is now used to imitate chiccory; and these preparations made pungent with aromatics, and sweetened with liquorice, are sold by wholesale to the adulteraters, until even an expert chemist could hardly tell by analysis of what the final compound is composed.

But the greatest changes have been made in alcoholic drinks. The manufacture and adulteration of wines has been carried on for a long period; but recently, the more common liquors could be purchased comparatively pure. For a generation past West India rum was actually what it purported to be—the product of the cane; brandy was a little more suspicious, but a good article could still be bought of any well known importer of liquors at a price which left a handsome profit to the retailer and a customer who insisted on his dram could find at all the better class of taverns a reasonably pure article under the name of any of the ordinary alcoholic drinks. We should be far from recommending the habitual use of any intoxicating beverage; but we cannot agree with those who argue that sudden deaths from an overdose of fiery corn whisky, is far better fate for the dram-drinker than a forty years campaign with the best "Santa Cruz," as the old St. Croix rum is still called in New England. Since the high tariff, almost prohibitory, has been levied upon imported liquors, very few of them have been sold from first hands here; and there must either have been a heavy stock stored in the retail shops, or the latter are selling a much more dangerous article to their customers than they have heretofore dared to swallow.

But this is not the most dangerous use of stimulants. It may not be known to a majority of our readers, but it is lamentably true that as a people, Americans are greatly given to the use of opium. For our present purpose, we need not decide whether the peculiar nervousness exhibited by the people of this country is the cause or the effect of this habit; but the statistics which mark the increased consumption of the eastern narcotic are quite alarming.

Several months since we prepared for the use of a medical writer in this city a statement of the annual imports of opium into the United States since the year 1840. We understood, at the time, that they would be given to the public in a shape to be especially useful in the way of warning and rebuke, and it may be that such use has been made of them in some medical journal which has not fallen under our notice. We have before us the figures then compiled, which show that while $40,874 paid the foreign cost of all the opium imported at the ports of the United States in 1840, it took $932,887 to pay the cost in the year ending June 30, 1862, an increase from forty thousand to nearly one million dollars in than less twenty-five years.

Of the large sum last mentioned, 30,482 pounds valued at $96,174, were landed at Boston; 163,055 pounds valued at $554,443, at New York; while the value of $281,796, mostly "prepared" opium was landed on the Pacific, chiefly for the use of the Chinese in California. It is true that the medical business connected with the army is responsible for a portion of this increase since the war began; but the statistics show a very heavy consumption of opium previous to the war, the imports for the year ending June 30, 1860, averaging over one hundred and twenty thousand pounds per annum. This is an enormous amount for the consumption of this country, and shows that a large number of people must use this drug habitually in some form for the gratification of their cravings for a stimulant. There may be less disgrace connected with its use, but the effects, mental and physical, are far more injurious than those which follow the abuse of alcoholic drinks, while the habit is much less easily cured or restrained.

MR. GREELEY'S LETTER.—The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Traveller* says: The Greeley peace letter is talked of a good deal here. The criticisms upon it are not severe, but there is curiosity respecting the manner in which it got out. The President did not give it out for publication, and there is no doubt that it was obtained by the dishonesty of some one. Last fall the President had all his peace correspondence sent to the public printer, of course in confidence and for his own convenience. Whether it got out *there*, or in some other way, is a secret; but it got out. In one newspaper office at least there was one of these printed copies of Mr. Greeley's letter last winter, but it was not published. It looks very much, however, as if there was a way in which favorites get private documents in this city. I have seen, before now, secret executive documents in the hands of persons who had no right to them. They might have been obtained from Senators, or from the printing office—in either case dishonestly.

PHILIP.

SECOND EDITION

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

HIGHLY INTERESTING.

The Cotton Captured at Savannah and Charleston.

Absent Officers Notified to Return to Active Duty.

Amnesty Proclamation to be Issued in a few days by President Lincoln from Richmond.

Rebel General Anderson Killed.

Headquarters for Exchange of Prisoners to be Removed to Richmond.

John Slidell Mortgages his Property to a Paris Banker.

Arrival of Captured Rebel Officers.

They think Grant will Disperse Lee's Army.

A National Bank to be Established in Richmond.

Richmond Refugees at Fredericksburg.

MOSEBY'S GUERRILLAS DISBANDING

Testimonial to Rev. J. Pierpont, Poet

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

Lieut. Col. H. C. Ransom, in addition to his present duty of transferring the cotton captured at Savannah to the Treasury agents, has been assigned to the same duty at Charleston.

The War Department has notified the following officers that they will stand dismissed the service, unless, within fifteen days, they appear before Gen. Caldwell's Military Commission and make satisfactory defence to the charges against them: Capt. John H. Busby, 180th Ohio; Assistant Surgeon C. D. Case, 180th Ohio; First Lieutenant Oscar Rahn, 184th Pa.; Capt. A. T. Clarke, 21st Pennsylvania cavalry.

It is rumored that President Lincoln has prepared another amnesty proclamation, which he will issue from Richmond in a few days.

Prisoners and deserters who arrived here today report that the rebel Gen. Anderson was killed in front of Petersburg on Saturday. At the time of his death, he was in command of Longstreet's old corps. A large number of rebel wounded have been sent from City Point to Craney Island, near Fortress Monroe, where hospitals are to be immediately established for their use.

General Mulford, Agent for the Exchange of Prisoners, will remove his headquarters to Richmond.

A young girl, about fifteen years of age, has been detected in abstracting fractional currency from the Treasury Department, where she was employed.

The steamer State of Maine has just arrived, from City Point, with six hundred more wounded.

Sometime ago, John Slidell, the rebel envoy at Paris, mortgaged sixty thousand dollars worth of his property at New Orleans to a Parisian banker, who now claims it under the laws of France, and of Louisiana. The validity of the proceeding will be tested in the Courts of the United States, and will doubtless give rise to some nice questions of international law.

Secretary Seward's physicians think he will be able to be about again in ten days. His condition to-day was much improved, and he conversed freely with his friends.

Gen. Casey's examining board will leave for Richmond to-morrow, they commence the organization of colored troops in that vicinity.

One hundred and eighty-five rebel officers, captured before Petersburg, came up on the boat to-day from City Point. There were seven colonels among the number. The majority concede that their cause is hopeless, and think that Grant will disperse and capture the remnant of Lee's army. The rebel rank and file, they say, have had all the fight they ever possessed knocked out of them in the late battles.

The boat also brought up the band of the 14th Virginia regiment, which deserted to us on Sunday. They number twenty-seven pieces, and paraded the streets to-day, playing "Yankee Doodle," "The Star Spangled Banner" and other patriotic airs. They announce their determination to serenade President Lincoln on his return.

Parties here are already preparing to establish a National Bank at Richmond. Several wealthy bankers from New York and Washington have also gone there to open a banking house.

The rush in the War Department for passes to go to Richmond continues unabated. Very few are being granted, however.

The work of repairing the Richmond and Fredericksburg Railroad will be commenced in a few days. One thousand laborers will probably go to Aquia Creek to-morrow, to lay track between that point and Fredericksburg.

Brig. Gen. Hoffman, Commanding General of Prisoners, is still at City Point superintending the disposition of the thousands of rebel prisoners constantly coming. They are being forwarded as rapidly as possible to Point Lookout, and will be distributed from there to the various prison camps in different parts of the country, as may de deemed necessary or advisable.

Persons who recently escaped from Fredericksburg, state that that place is filled with rebel families from Richmond, who left there some days before its occupation by our forces. The surrounding country is swarming with rebel deserters on their way to their homes.

Two companies of Moseby's guerrillas disbanded, and the whole band would probably soon cease to exist.

Rev. John Pierpont, the poet, was presented this evening, the anniversary of his eightieth birthday, with several handsome testimonials, including a gold watch, and three hundred dollars in cash. Congratulatory letters from a number of distinguished persons, including poems by W. C. Bryant, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Charles T. Brooks, of Providence, Rhode Island, were read. One of the letters was signed by upwards of one hundred and fifty of his old parishoners.

The father of General Russell, of the 25th corps, who was reported killed in the recent battles, to-night received a dispatch from General Ord announcing that his son was safe.

From Cairo and Below.

Noted Rebel Sympathisers Released.

Exchange Prisoners Coming Up.

CAIRO, April 6.

The steamer Olive Branch, from New Orleans on the 2d, had 746 bales and twenty-two bags of cotton for St. Louis.

John McKinney, a rebel sympathiser, confined at Memphis under military order by Gen. Roberts, for non-payment of the debt of seven thousand dollars, due Northern parties, was by order of Gen. Washburne, upon a writ of habeas corpus turned over to the civil authorities recently, and by the United States District Court was released yesterday upon payment of costs. It is said he will commence a suit against Gen. Roberts for false imprisonment.

The hospital steamer arrived from Vicksburg for St. Louis with 420 exchanged prisoners from Andersonville, and the Cahawba with 800, remain at Vicksburg awaiting transportation North.

Governor Andrew on Grant's Victory

The Massachusetts Senate and House met in joint session on Tuesday to hear an address from Governor Andrew on the victory. The Governor briefly reviewed the course of the campaign as laid out by General Grant, which ended in the capture of Richmond, and concluded as follows:

"Will not the impartial mind of the historian, in applying judicial tests to events and men not yet—in their immediate presence—within our power calmly to apply, declare this occasion, which now thrills and exalts every true American and every lover of human liberty, to have been, under the great providence of the infinite Majesty of the Universe, one of the signal examples and illustrations of genius, intelligence, manhood; endurance and of military virtue?"

RICHMOND!

Deplorable Condition of the City

Destruction of Liquor by Order of the Mayor.

Stores Plundered by the Rebels.

The Losses by the Fire.

Residences of the Rebel Chiefs.

The Appearance of the Streets.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

Advices from Richmond, down to Tuesday morning, have been received, and give a deplorable account of the condition of that city. On Sunday afternoon before the evacuation, Mayor Mayo and the City Council ordered all the liquor to be destroyed. The heads of the barrels were knocked in and the contents emptied into the streets, and bottles of liquor that had commanded fabulous prices, were broken on the curb stones. As a consequence, the rebel rear guard became intoxicated and ungovernable and a terrible scene of pillage and ruin ensued. The stores were plundered of jewelry, clothing, confectionary, &c., and the whole city was in a tumult with the riotous proceedings.

Great damage was done by the explosion of the magazine, against which it is said that Gen. Breckinridge earnestly remonstrated, but Gen. Ewell, to whom the work of destruction had been entrusted, was inflexible. Among the victims to the explosion were all the inmates of the Alms House close by, who were at the time sound asleep in bed. The damage done by the fire is enormous, all the business part of the city, bounded by Main street and the river and Seventh and Fifteenth streets, being destroyed. Burning shingles were carried to the different parts of the city, setting fire to houses, and it is estimated that not less than eight hundred buildings were burned. Among them are the Mechanics Institute, used by the War Department, the Henrico county court house, the old State court house, the *Enquirer* office, *Dispatch* office, and the press rooms of the *Examiner*, Haxhall's celebrated flour mills and crews, and Smith's tobacco factories, and nearly all the bank.

The flames were finally arrested by blowing up the "Negro" Trader's Bank, by order of General Shepley, who, upon entering the city, assured the inhabitants of protection, and appointed Lieut. Col. Manning, Provost Marshal. A force of white troops are encamped on Capitol Square, and General Devins has his headquarters at the Governor's house.

The colored troops are feasted by the negro population in the most extravagant manner, and are lords of the city. The Richmond *Whig* was to have been issued again on Tuesday morning by its proprietor, assisted by a former editor, having given pledges to offer a hearty support to the Union cause. The hotels are all virtually closed, owing to the scarcity of food and the restaurants, with one or two exceptions, were all destroyed by fire.

Special Dispatch to Western Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The *World* has a letter from Richmond, dated the 4th inst. It contains no military news. Describing the appearance of the city, it says: In the custom house, Davis, Benjamin and Mallory had their court till the end. Davis occupied a modest suite of rooms up two flights of steps in the wing of the building. They are not yet open to public inspection. The general testimony is, that all the important archives of the rebels were sent away several weeks ago, either to Lynchburg or Danville, probably the latter.

The Rebel Cabinet Ministers seem to have been scattered in way of living. Benjamin, the Secretary of State, had a fine house at the upper end of Main street, which escaped conflagration. Mallory lived at a hotel, but passed most of his time with a "tiger," who had a splendid den on Main street. Trenholm, of the Treasury, immensely rich in gold, invested with Frazer & Co., in England, had a fine house on Grace street, and gave a brilliant party only two months ago to South Carolina celebrities.

Jeff Davis' house, now the abode of General Weitzel, stands at the foot of Twelfth street and Clay, is in good condition, rather shabby shutters, the broken gates of the garden string all kinds of ways; the stables planted directly besides the front doorway. Although it would be thought a decent gentleman's house anywhere it is not to be compared with many houses in Richmond.

Gen. Lee's residence stands a block or two above Davis' and is a modest three story Boston looking kind of establishment. The ladies of Lee's family, and of Gov. Smith's still remain in the city, and of course will be well and courteously treated.

Main street, from below Seventh to the neighborhood of Church Hill, presents a most lamentable appearance. Cary street, Virginia street, and other business streets between Main and the James river, suffered severely; but the best part of the town is either left untouched altogether or has escaped with little damage.

I have seen four different Massachusetts officers, each of whom got first into the capital, and planted the flag on its summit. The truth I believe to be, that the flag was first posted by a negro Sergeant belonging to Birney's division of the 25th Corps.

The *Tribune's* Petersburg special of the 4th says: The eastern portion of the town exhibits on every side marks of solid shot and shell, thrown by our guns during the last summer. Chimneys have been razed on every building, windows knocked and splintered to pieces, brick walls crumbled and torn, porches carried away. Almost every house is deserted in Bolingbroke street, which runs nearly east and west, but in the center and other portions of the city but little damage seems to have been done by our fire.

FROM THE GULF.

Victory by General Steele's Forces.

The Bombardment of Spanish Fort.

Fort Encompassed on Three Sides

Narrow Escape of Gen. Granger and Staff

NEW ORLEANS, April 1,
via CAIRO, April 6.

General Steel's command, from Pensacola, met with much opposition, but no regular battle was fought until reaching Mitchell's Fork, on the morning of the 26th ult., where the enemy, numbering about 800, made a stand, and after a severe fight the enemy were repulsed and scattered in the woods, many being captured.

The *Times'* correspondent at the headquarters of the 13th Army Corps, near Blakely, says on March 28th a party of guerrillas made a dash upon a wagon train stuck in the mud below Fish River, capturing ten mules and eight drivers. All the wagons and stores were brought in yesterday. There had been much skirmishing, but no regular battle as yet.

The bombardment of Spanish Fort progresses favorably. Torpedoes fill the approaches to the fort. Our skirmishers are within two hundred yards and the artillery three hundred yards of the fort. We have it encompassed on three sides, their only chance of escape being by water. If the gunboats can get up they cannot escape. Gen. Granger and staff narrowly escaped being blown up by torpedoes placed in the roads.

Col. Bertram's brigade captured a rebel telegraph office and dispatches, showing that the rebels were fully posted in relation to all our movements, forces and places. Gen. Steele captured two railroad supply trains at Pollard. At last accounts our losses did not exceed fifty killed and two or three hundred wounded.

Rebel steamers ply regularly between Mobile and Spanish fort, conveying reinforcements and guns. Two of our men were injured by torpedoes.

CATHOLIC INTELLIGENCE.—The Devotion of the Forty Hours, in honor of the Most Holy Sacrament, will commence on April 9, St. Joseph's, Sharpsburgh; April 16, St. Aloysius', Summit; April 23, St. Alphonsus', Murrinsville; April 30, St. John's', Harman's Bottom; May 7, St. Mary's, Hollidaysburg.

The Reverend Clergy, regular and secular, of the Diocese, and more particularly those of the city and vicinity, are requested to make such arrangements in their respective congregations as will enable them to assist at the Pontifical Mass and Blessing of the Holy Oils on Maundas Thursday. Each Clergyman will come provided with a set of the Sacred Vestments usually worn on the occasion.

The Pontifical High Mass, in which the Holy Oils are to be Blessed, will begin at 9½ o'clock a. m., on Holy Thursday, in the Cathedral. The *Tenebræ* will commence at 3 p. m., on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. The ceremonies of Good Friday and Saturday will begin at 9 o'clock a. m., precisely.

The Treasurer of the Propagation of the Faith acknowledges the receipt of the following sums during the last quarter:—

St. Paul's, Pittsburgh	$38 50
St. Philomena's, Pittsburgh	22 76
St. Peter's, Allegheny	12 62

COMMENDABLE LIBERALITY.—The Economites made a donation of five hundred dollars to the Christian Commission yesterday, for the relief of the suffering boys in the late engagements before Richmond. These men deserve the lasting gratitude of the soldiers of the Union for their generous and prompt aid, always given at the right time and with a lavish hand.

VERY LATEST

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End of the Rebellion.

Lee and his Army Reported Captured.

Special to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

The impression that Lee and the remnant of his forces would escape to Lynchburg was very general yesterday, arising from the expression used in Gen. Grant's dispatch, that he should pursue them as long as it was of any use.

The later dispatches of to-day have dissipated this impression. Lee seems fairly to have been brought to bay, Sheridan being close upon him at Amelia Court House and Grant ahead of him at Burksville Junction of the Danville and South Side road.

It is fully believed here in official and military circles that the remnant of Lee's army will, within the next twenty-four hours, be either destroyed or dispersed, and have ceased to exist as an organization. Further important advices are anxiously expected from that quarter.

Later.—WASHINGTON, April 7—2 A. M.—Rumors were prevalent in this city last night, and were finally believed in well informed circles, that General Lee and the remnant of his retreating army were captured by Grant and Sheridan. Although there are no official advices to this effect, we have every reason to believe that such is the fact.

CITY MATTERS.

Court Proceedings.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—[Judges Mellon and Brown).

William Huitt pleaded guilty to selling liquor without license, and was fined ten dollars and costs.

John Nave pleaded guilty to a similar charge—fined thirty dollars and costs.

Patrick Williams, illegal liquor selling—plead guilty, and was sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred dollars and costs.

Richard Strange was indicted for abandoning his wife, and Court ordered him to give security in $300 for the comfortable maintenance of his wife.

Jane Belsin found guilty of keeping a disorderly house, was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars and costs, and undergo an imprisonment of thirty days in the county jail.

Hiram Inman and Henry Hall were tried for the larceny of a quantity of clothing from the store of J. & L. Vogle, on the 12th of January last. The jury acquitted Hall, but found a verdict of guilty against Inman, who in consequence of his extreme youth was committed to the House of Refuge.

Christina Weinberger was convicted of the larceny of a number of metal ornaments from the residence of Mrs Lorenz, on Penn street, on the 22d of February last, guilty, and sentenced to pay costs, and undergo imprisonment of one year in Western Penitentiary.

Frances A. Keller, *alias* Fanny Splane, keeping a bawdy house; not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. John S. Kennedy selling liquor without license; guilty; fine of ten dollars and costs.

Commonwealth vs. A. Burkhart, selling liquor without license; guilty; fine of fifty dollars and costs.

Commonwealth vs. John Mish, selling liquor without license; guilty; fine of fifty dollar and costs.

Commonwealth vs. George Gray, assault and battery; guilty; fine of twenty dollars and costs:

John Robinson was held to bail in $500 for future good behavior.

John Robinson and James Kemp plead guilty to a charge of malicious mischief. Sentence deferred.

Sarah Dolan pleaded guilty to an assault and battery on Andrew Sims; fine of six cents and costs.

Joseph Fisher convicted on two indictments of larceny, sentenced to imprisonment of one year in the Western Penitentiary on each.

Henry Bausman, assault and battery on oath of Mary Scott. On trial.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE REV. DR. SWIFT.—The funeral of this distinguished divine took place yesterday morning. About nine o'clock the body was removed from the family mansion on the North Common, to the First Presbyterian Church, on Beaver street, where it was visited by the members of the congregation who crowded around the coffin to take a last sad look at the mortal remains of their much beloved pastor. The interior of the church was draped in mourning, which, together with the tolling of the bell, and the solemn strains of the organ, rendered the occasion deeply impressive. The coffin was placed directly under the pulpit, and a portion of the lid was removed, exposing to view the well-known features of the deceased. A wreath of beautiful white flowers was arranged artistically upon the coffin.

About ten o'clock the family of the deceased arrived at the church, and while they were being seated, the choir sang a beautiful anthem in excellent style. Rev. Dr. Elliott, after a few appropriate remarks, read the fourth chapter of the Epistle to the Corinthians, when the congregation joined in singing a hymn. Prof. S. J. Wilson, of the Western Theological Seminary, then pronounced a glowing eulogy upon the many virtues of the deceased, in which he referred to the purity of his life, his steadfast Christian character, and the influence which he exerted upon his congregation, and the entire community. Mr. Wilson's address was extremely pathetic, and drew tears from the eyes of many of his listeners. The Rev. Dr. Howard then led in prayer, and after the singing of a hymn, the benediction was pronounced by Dr. Elliott, and the congregation dismissed. Eight elders of the church, who acted as pall-bearers, then removed the coffin to the hearse, and those present who wished to accompany the corpse to its last resting place had an opportunity of doing so, fifty carriages having been provided for their accommodation. The funeral procession proceeded to the Allegheny Cemetry, the church bells tolling solemnly as it passed along. It was undoubtedly the largest funeral that has ever taken place in Allegheny. The church was crowded during the exercises, and nearly all the ministers of the various denominations in the city were present.

HORSE STEALING—HOW TO LESSON THE EVIL.—Perhaps there is no species of larceny so detrimental to the interests of the general public as that of horse stealing. This is more particularly true with regard to the rural districts, where for the most part of the year, horses are "turned out to pasture," and all that a thief has to do is to "lay down the fence," capture a horse or horses, and run them off. And even in mid-winter when the animals are housed, the fastenings to the doors are seldom such as to offer any serious bar to the bold thieves who prowl about the country. We were shown a dispatch yesterday from Ohio, stating that a number of valuable horses had been stolen there, and it was believed that the thieves would bring them to this market for sale. Indeed it is notorious that this is the grand centre for all horse thieves for hundreds of miles around and were it not for the fear of giving contraband information, we could point out the exact locality of an *underground stable*, not a mile from the north bank of the Allegheny river, fitted up with six or eight stalls for the reception of stolen horses. So adroitly and skillfully is everything arranged, that no one would ever suspect such a subterranean arrangement. It is here that stolen horses are secured and kept until the pursuing officers or owners consider the search fruitless, when they are brought forth from their secure hiding place and sold to the highest and best bidder.

There is, however, a remedy for this, and which, if unusually applied, would go far towards curing it. If people would exercise a tithe of the caution in the purchase of a horse they do in a house or lot horse, thieves would have great difficulty in disposing of their ill-gotten gains, and purchasers would themselves be saved from what often happens the rendering up to the rightful owner of a fine animal which he purchased at half its value. It seems strange that a sensible, shrewed business man will jump at a bargain in a horse, when a moment's reflection would teach him that the seller was either a fool or a knave—the former, for not knowing the value of his property; or the latter, because he had stolen it, and wished to make a hasty sale. Due caution on the part of the purchasers of horses, particularly at the present time; would go far towards putting a stop to the wide spread system of horse-stealing now being carried on.

BEING REPAIRED.—Rebecca street, which was sadly damaged by the late flood, is being repaired in a few places, and it is understood that as soon as the weather becomes permanently settled a strong force of workmen will be placed upon it, who will remove the drift wood, repair the pavements and put everything in proper order. This is as it should be. Rebecca street is one of the finest thoroughfares in Allegheny city, and being traversed by a line of street cars for nearly its entire length, it should be at once put in proper repair. Particularly should the car track be so repaired as to effectually avoid the frequent "getting off the track," which now occurs. But as before intimated, all will be put to rights in a short time and things move as they did before the flood.

CITY MORTALITY.—Dr. G. L. McCook, Physician to Board of Health, reports that the number of interments in the city, for the week ending April 1st, have been sixteen, eight adults and eight children. The causes of death were Unknown, two; hæmetemesis, one; consumption, two; heart disease, one; surgical operation, one; old age, one; still born, one; diphtheria, one; pertussis, one; dropsy of the head, one; general debility, one; congestion of the bowels, one; pneumonia, one; congestion of the lungs, one.

A MISTAKE.—The telegraph stated yesterday that New York city had contributed $500,000 to the Christian Commission. This was too good to be true. The correct amount was $50,000.

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MEETING OF ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.—A stated meeting of the Allegheny City Councils was held last evening.

Common Council—Present: Messrs. Benney, Beilstein, English, Falhauber, Hanna, Hall, McDonald, Miller, McNeal, J. B. Smith, Wm. Smith, Thompson, and President Drum.

The minutes of the two preceding regular and special meetings were read and approved.

Mr. Hall presented a petition from citizens of the Third Ward, praying for the opening of Fairmount street. Referred to the Committee on Streets.

Mr. Benney presented the report of the Committee on Engines, embracing a resolution authorizing the payment of sundry bills. Also a resolution recommending the purchase of 500 feet of new hose for the Columbia Hose Company. The Committee also state that the members of the Hope and Gen. Grant steamers are in the habit of using the engines for private purposes without permission of Committee. They state that after the recent freshet the firemen employed by the city were engaged for several days in pumping water from cellars of inundated buildings, charging ten dollars per hour. The Committee ask for instructions as to whether the steamers shall hereafter be used for similar purposes. The report was accepted and the resolutions read three times and adopted.

Mr. Hall offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Fire Engines not to permit the steamers to be used for private purposes without fifty per cent of the earnings be paid into the City Treasury. Adopted.

Mr. Hanna presented the report of the Committee on Markets, recommending the payment of sundry bills, together with an ordinance increasing the rates charged by the City Wheighmasters fifty per cent. The report was accepted, and the ordinance adopted.

Mr. Miller presented a petition from citizens residing on North avenue, praying to have said avenue graded and paved from Rebecca street to Buena Vista to. Referred to the Committee on Streets.

The report of the Committee of Gas was presented by Mr. Hall, together with a resolution recommending the payment of sundry bills. Report accepted and resolution adopted.

Mr. Smith presented an ordinance changing the place of holding elections in the second precinct of the Fourth Ward, from the house of J. Pack, deceased, to the School House on South Canal street.

Mr. Falhauber presented a resolution instructing the Mayor to issue a proclamation for the election of a member of Common Council for the Fourth Ward, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Capt. Philip R. Hill. Adopted.

Mr. Benney offered a resolution instructing the City Regulator to proceed forthwith with the numbering of the houses in the city. Adopted.

Mr. Benney offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of five, three from the Common and two from the Select, be appointed to confer with a similar committee from the Council of the borough of Manchester, in relation to the annexation of that borough to Allegheny city. Adopted, and Messrs. Hall, Benney and Wm. Smith appointed on part of Common Council.

Select Council concurred, and appointed Messrs. McBrier and Thomas.

The minority report of the Water Committee, signed by Messrs. S. Drum and G. N. Miller, was presented to Councils. The report states that the works have a sufficiency of power to supply the city with water provided they are properly managed. Accompanying the report are the written opinions of Messrs. Andrew Watson and S. Cadman, two experienced engineers, who state that after a thorough examination of the works, they are satisfied that the capacity of the works is sufficient to supply the city, provided sixteen inch pumps are substituted in place of twelve inch pumps. Mr. G. N. Miller, a practical engineer, submitted a similar opinion.

Mr. Hanna stated that he was a member of the Water Committee and had signed the majority report, but upon examination and inquiry was satisfied that the works would answer for the present, and would vote for the minority report.

The yeas and nays were called on the motion to adopt the minority, and resulted as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Benny, English, Falhauber, Hanna, Hall, Miller, McDonald, J. B. Smith, Thompson and President Drum—10.

Nays—Mr. Beilstein—1.

Messrs. Wm. Smith and McNeal declined voting.

On motion Councils adjourned to meet on Monday evening next.

Select Council—Present Messrs. Francis, Irwin, Miller, McBrier, S. Riddle, G. R. Riddle, Thomas, Wright and President Marshall.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Mr. McBrier presented a petition from Robt. Stewart, asking the removal of the fire plug from the corner of Strawberry and Middle alleys. Read and referred to Committee on Water, with power to act.

Mr. G. R. Riddle, a petition from residents on North alley, setting forth that they are subject to great annoyance from a steam pipe from an engine in an establishment opposite to their dwellings, and asking Councils to so amend the city ordinance in relation to such establishments as will abate the nuisance. Read and referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

Mr. S. Riddle, from Commissioners of the Diamond Improvements, to whom was referred the petition from Messrs. White & Alexander, asking Councils to remunerate them for the losses sustained on their contract for the erection of the new City Hall, reported that they had obtained a list of the losses which had been incurred, amounting in the aggregate, to $5,800. The report was accepted.

The report was accompanied by a resolution, recommending Councils to grant the prayer of the petitioners

Mr. Miller moved that the full amount claimed by the petitioners be allowed.

Mr. M'Brier moved to amend by making the amount $2,500, which amendment prevailed Objection being made the rules were suspended and the resolution read three times and passed.

Mr. Thomas submitted the report of the Water Committee, accompanied by resolutions for the payment of sundry bills. The report was accepted and the resolutions read three times and passed.

Mr. Wright from the Committee on City Code, submitted a communication from S. Schoyer, Jr., Esq., in relation to the delay in the publication of the Code. The committee also submitted a resolution authorizing them to have thirty copies of the Code handsomely bound, for presentation to other municipal authorities; also, a resolution authorizing a warrant to be drawn in favor of the City Solicitor for the sum of $300 for compiling the City Code. The report was accepted and the resolution read three times and passed.

Mr. Irwin from Claims and Accounts, submitted an ordinance fixing the compensation of election officers. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Wright submitted the pay roll of the Street Commissioners for the month of March, with a resolution authorizing a warrant to be drawn for its payment. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Francis offered a resolution authorizing the Committee on Fire Engines and Hose to allow the steamers Hope and Grant to pump the water out of cellars in the lower wards of the city. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. G. R. Riddle offered the following preamble and resolution:

WHEREAS, The average cost of coal and stock consumed at the Water Works, for the four years previous to 1863, amounts to about $2,437 per annum; and whereas, the cost of said fuel for 1864, according to the report of the committee, amounts to the enormous sum of $15,360 55, with the prospect of reaching, for the current year, $30,000 for that item. Therefore

Resolved, That the Water Committee be and they are hereby instructed to report, at a special meeting, to be held on Thursday evening next, the reasons for such a large increase of expenditure, and also such measures as their wisdom may suggest to reduce the same.

Mr. S. Riddle moved to amend by inserting, that Councils meet next Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, for the purpose of visiting the Water Works in a body. The resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Mr. M'Brier offered an ordinance reducing the amount of business tax from one and one-half to one mill. Read three times and passed.

Mr. M'Brier submitted a resolution directing the Committee on Wharves and Landings to revise their special rates of wharfage. Adopted.

Mr. G. R. Riddle offered the following: *Whereas*, The Treasury of the City is without funds to pay the Warrants drawn upon it. And *Whereas*, members of the Finance Committee have been called upon to endorse notes and procure the same to be discounted for the purpose of raising money to preserve the credit of the City, thereby becoming individually responsible for large amounts of the indebtedness of the City. And *Whereas*, There are large amounts (said to be several hundred thousand dollars) of cash and securities belonging to the City in the hands of some person or persons, other than the City Treasurer, the proper custodian of the same, and who has given bond for its safe keeping, therefore

Resolved, That the Trustees constituted by resolution of June 7th, 1859, and to whom the Railroad stock of the city, amounting to four hundred thousand dollars, was transferred, be and they are hereby respectfully requested to deposit the cash and securities now in their possession, the proceeds of the sale of said stock.

Resolved, That the fact that there is yet fifteen bonds of $1,000 each of the Railroad debt of the City outstanding, the owners of which cannot be found, and which bonds are probably lost or destroyed, is no justification for withholding from the Treasurer cash and securities belonging to the city, amounting to the sum of $312,281 08.

The preamble and resolutions were not agreed to.

Council then adjourned to meet on Thursday afternoon, for the purpose of visiting the Water Works.

DIED:

SHEPLER.—On Thursday morning, April 6th, at 5 o'clock, Mrs. ELIZA E. SHEPLER, wife of Peter Shepler, deceased, aged 58 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Isaac A. Reed, Mulberry street, Allegheny City, on Friday afternoon, April 7th, at 3 o'clock.

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Will meet THIS (Friday) EVENING at 7½ o'clock, at their hall on Federal street. General attendance is requested.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Purviance's Photograph Rooms, corner of Fifth and Market streets, second and third stories, over Richardson's jewelry store, Pittsburgh, Pa. Photographs of every style, plain or colored, from the popular carte de visite to cabinet and life-size. Mr. Purviance would particularly call the attention of the aged and infirm to the easy accessibility of this establishment, being reached by a single short flight of stairs. Prices moderate, and satisfaction guaranteed.

The Daily Commercial.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1865.

☞ Correspondence on matters of public interest is solicited and will be thankfully received from our friends in all parts of the country, when accompanied by responsible names. More especially whatever relates to the discovery and production of oil, the development of oil lands and reliable oil intelligence in general, will be acceptable and is desired. Events of local interest, mechanical and agricultural results, inventions and improvements of every description clearly and briefly described, are solicited. To secure attention communications should be brief, entirely reliable, and sent as promptly as possible.

Letters concerning the business departments of the newspaper or printing office should be addressed to the Business Manager. Communications designed for the paper should be addressed to The Editor.

Off from Richmond.

"On to Richmond" has afforded many a good laughing time to the rebel dignitaries of the Confederate capital. Now, that they are fairly on their exodus, we cannot but feel an itching of curiosity to know what humor they are in; whether the idea of off from Richmond excites their risibility to any great extent; and whether Mr. Davis is of the same mind as to the prospects of the Confederacy that he was when he wrote his last message. He then thought the evacuation of Richmond was rather an inconsiderable affair; that the Confederacy would still be "erect and defiant as ever," and that the fall of all their strongholds would not "affect the issue of the present contest." So spake the secession oracle a few short weeks ago. We half suspect that his views have undergone some changes of late. Evacuation is not the thing it was cracked up to be.

This, no doubt, Mr. Davis and his fellow conspirators have found out by this time. It was distance that lent enchantment to the view, when Mr. Davis spoke so lightly of leaving Richmond. A moderate fancy can depict his tall, thin form and anxious, despairing look, as he flies from the capital, where he has lived in clover, without knowing whither he is going, or whether he will ever get there. The Confederacy that he carries with him, in his pocket, does not appear, at the moment, to be remarkably "erect and defiant;" neither does Mr. Davis. Fleeing and dodging, to keep out of the way of the Union forces, surrounded by a broken, defeated and dispirited fragment of their old armies, without defenses and without supplies, the fortunes of the Confederacy, that he has had in charge, appear in any thing but a flattering condition.

The *Examiner* took quite a different view of the evacuation, when it was spoken of so lightly in Mr. Davis's message. Facts will confirm the correctness of this view. The *Examiner* said on the 27th of February, "The evacuation of Richmond would be the loss of all respect and authority toward the Confederate government, the disintegration of the army, and the abandonment of the scheme of an independent Southern Confederation." "The hope of establishing a Confederacy and securing its recognition among nations would be gone forever." The loss of Richmond "would be material ruin to the cause, and in a moral point of view absolutely destructive, crushing the heart, and extinguishing the last hope of the country." "The evacuation of Richmond would be the abandonment of Virginia forever, and without any rational hope of return."

This and much more, in a like strain, was solemnly, earnestly and truthfully urged in the rebel capital, six weeks ago, and yet, they have gone and done it. They must lay the blame on Gen. Grant and his army. They could not help it.

But if such an evacuation as was then contemplated would have been so disastrous, how much more so will that prove to which they have been driven. They thought of leaving it with all their forces, with a way open to some western Canaan, and with a good start in advance of pursuers. They actually leave their capital, with decimated armies, with every avenue of escape beset, if not wholly closed; and with a triumphant Union army pressing closely on their rear. The *Examiner* solemnly charged that the evacuation of Richmond would be "a national suicide." Nothing saves them from a verdict in accordance with that charge, but the patent fact, that the evacuation was not voluntary. Our brave armies did it. The death of the Confederacy was not a suicide, but an execution.

The Southern People.

What effect will the overthrow of the military power of the rebellion have on the Southern People? This question is the one that addresses itself to the mind. There is no reason for supposing the Southern people are an exception to mankind in general, and there is little evidence to support the idea they will not accept what they have not been able to prevent. It would be folly to expect of them any considerable degree of enthusiasm in view of the overthrow of the rebellion. We should interpret human nature in them as it has been exhibited in history, and as we know it to be. The Southern people did their best, and have been beaten. This fact must be taken into the account, and the question considered according to the laws of human nature. We should expect of the Southern people no more than other people similarly situated,—they should not be expected to act materially different from ourselves were the situation reversed. The circumstances do not justify extravagant expectations; nor do they favor the belief that the Southern people are prepared to make further sacrifices for what their reason teaches is utterly unattainable. Much depends on the way they are treated. A frigid atmosphere is not favorable to early blossoms. A kindly spirit will accomplish what a rigid discipline will render impossible.

It is extremely fortunate that the Southern people had come to understand the rebel leaders were unworthy of their confidence. Reconciliations sometimes come through mutual hate, and instances are not wanting when those thus actuated have been moved to genuine reciprocal affection. When contending foes are able to agree on a single point, a reconciliation, leading to permanent friendship, need not be despaired of. The necessities of the case should be allowed to point the way. We must come together and be friends—one people—under one Government. We have something to do as well as they. They cannot be expected to come entirely over to us, while we stand in the forbidding attitude of conquerors; nor can we be expected to concede everything to them for the sake of peace. There is a middle ground whereon both can stand, and neither be compelled to do violence to reason, pride or justice. To find it is the business of the day, but first of all is the cultivation of the spirit of amity and justice.

Recognizing Jeff.—The report has for some time been current that Emperor Napoleon, when the time came right, was going to recognize Jeff.; and the rebels as late as one week ago were congratulating themselves that recognition was about to take place. It is evident that if Napoleon intends anything of the kind he must be about it, or he will be too late. Others are bent on recognition. But it is not the recognition Jeff. desires, in fact he would rather not have them recognise him, and such an aversion has he to being recognised by them that he is doing his utmost to keep out of their way.

Praise God.—It is a singular coincidence, and one religiously expressive of the heartfelt thankfulness of our people to the Giver of all good, for the victories He has given us, that in all the principal cities—in New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore and Pittsburgh—at the impromptu meetings held on receiving the news of the fall of Richmond, the Doxology was sung, from thousands of throats, to the grand old tune of "Old Hundred:"

"Praise God, from whom all blessing flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below," &c.

The Commercial Correspondents in Richmond.—Among the guests of the Spottswood and Ballard Hotels, in Richmond, are the Commercial correspondents. We congratulate them on their safe arrival, and count on the congratulations of our readers that the Commercial has had the enterprise to place its correspondents at the chief points of interest, Richmond included.

One Year's Work.—One year ago on Monday General Grant took command of the army of the Potomac at Culpepper. In that brief period he has by his plans and their execution shattered a Confederacy, used up eleven sovereignties, and spoiled the most magnificent plan of a new nationality that was ever conceived.

—The steamer Bertrand, bound for Fort Benton on the upper Mississippi, with valuable cargo, sunk above Omaha on Saturday. The boat and cargo is a total loss. The boat is valued at $30,000.

New Publications.

CHRISTIAN'S MISTAKE.

By the author of John Halifax, &c., Harper & Brothers. Christian's Mistake is not, as might be supposed from its title, a new sort of Pilgrim's Progress; neither is it a religious story at all; except so far as others of Miss Mulock's novels may be so styled, on account of their good, sound, healthy moral tone. It is the story of a lovely young woman, Christian Oakley, who was married to Dr. Grey, and who — — but we need not give the story, as we cannot do it half as well as the author does, and our readers would not thank us for a sketch that might dull the edge of their interest in reading the book itself.

It is a pretty and useful story, and the publishers have matched it well in the elegant style in which they have presented it. It is for sale at Miner's, Fifth st.

VANITY FAIR.

A splendid new edition of this popular story, by Thackeray, is just issued from the press of the Harpers. It is in three of the handsomest volumes, on tinted paper, abounding in fine illustrations and in a binding that we have never seen equalled. We need not recommend so well known and favorite a work. But we must give our testimony to the superior elegance of this new edition. It is as near perfect in beauty, as the hands of printers and binders can make it.

It is for sale, too, at Miner's, in Fifth street.

SCIENCE, FOR THE SCHOOL AND FAMILY.

This is also from the press of Harper & Brother. The author is Washington Hooker, Professor of the theory and practice of medicine in Yale College. The author's reputation as well as his position, is a guaranty of the excellence of this book. It treats of mineralogy and geology in a plain, familiar method, without speculations and technology which make the science unacceptable to general readers. It is a treatise of very moderate length, and conveys such information on the subject as every well informed person ought to posses.

It can be had at Miner's.

The Harpers have just published, and Miner has for sale, a small but valuable treatise on "*Etymology*," by that ripe scholar and able teacher, Professor Marsh.

LIFE OF PAULINE CUSHMAN,

The Union Spy and Scout. This is an entertaining narrative of the personal adventures of Major Pauline Cushman, who acted as Scout and Spy for the federal armies in the Southwest. It abounds in incident and patriotic adventures, and belongs to that class of publication, read with the greatest avidity. Published in excellent style by J. M. Porter, Philadelphia, for sale by Pittock.

New Military Movement.

It is reasonable to suppose that we may soon expect to hear of a movement against Augusta up the Savannah river. Immediately after Sherman's departure from the vicinity, a line of couriers was established by the rebels between Columbia and Augusta, and by this means communication re-established between Richmond and the Western portion of the Confederacy.

The enemy also, doubtless, soon re-established the telegraph lines, and commenced the work of rebuilding the railroad between the two cities, *via* Branchville, or directly across the country.

Augusta is distant one hundred and twenty miles Northwest of Savannah by land and its occupation is necessary to ensure the complete isolation of Western Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi.

General Grover's command, lately performing garrison duty at Savannah, have been transferred to a more active field of operations, and it is possible that some other body of troops will be detailed for this movement upon Augusta—that is, in the event of its being made, of which there now seems but little doubt.

A Hymn for the Time.

The Union League in Philadelphia had a spontaneous jubilee over the fall of Richmond, when, among the rest, several clergymen spoke. The following stanzas by Rev. Dr. Stockton, adapted to Old Hundred, was sung:

Now let all hearts and voices raise,
From earth to heaven, Jehovah's praise;
Adore his goodness in the past,
And trust Him long as time shall last!

For lo! He rose upon his throne,
He spoke the word—our foes have gone;
O'er Petersburg, from Richmond's brow,
The Stars and Stripes are floating now!

All hail, the triumph of the brave!
All hail, the freedom of the slave!
Weep for the dead! the wounded love!
All still praise Him who reigns above!

General Intelligence.

The entire net receipts of the Philadelphia Sanitary Fair, just announced, is $1,035,068.

A "Mexican Aid League," designed to aid the Mexican Liberals in their resistance of the imperialists, has been organised in Kansas.

The tree under which Grant and Pemberton held the interview which resulted in the capitulation of Vicksburg has disappeared, root branch, trunk and all, carried off by souvenir hunters.

One of the Japanese princes has resolved to erect a sugar refinery in Japan, and has engaged two skilled Europeans to assist him in carrying out his project.

A city member of the New York Assembly sent up the following resolution one day last week: "*Resolved,* That the Clerk of this house furnish a coppy of webster's una-bridged Dictionary to each member." Let them have the dictionary.

The *Opinion Nationale*, in a curious article on the bad marksmanship of the infantry, mentions that 15,000,000 cartridges were used at Solferino to shoot down 10,000 Austrians at the outside, which shows that it took 1,500 bullets to kill or wound one man, and represents a weight of 2,000 pounds.

The Edward Everett Statue Fund amounts to $31,794.

The New York *Post* says a person who saw the great concourse of people at the jollification meeting on Monday, asked a friend what it meant, who replied that it was an indignation meeting of the gold men.

One of the imperial quarto volumes of Louis Napoleon's life of Caesar, printed for distribution to the crowned heads of Europe, was received by President Lincoln in the last diplomatic bag from Paris.

The prospect of an abundant wheat crop in this county was never so promising as this Spring. The winter seems everywhere to have been favorable for the protection and growth of the crop—the ground being covered with deep snow until the freezing nights were over.

The school master follows the Yankee soldier in all his victories in the South. Immediately on the occupation of a rebel strong hold by the Federal forces, schools are opened and free newspapers circulated. These are the influences which will soon regenerate the South.

One cent's worth of stout wire bent in the shape of the letter U, is a very good protection against burglars. Hang the curved part of the wire on the door-knob, and let the two extremities pass through the bow of the key after the door is locked. Then the burglars may rage in vain, unless they break the door down.

If you get a moment to spare, spruce up—put the grate on its hinges, put a little paint on the picket fence you built last year, and make it cosy and inviting, don't say you can't find time for these things. The fact is, you have no time to grow slovenly. Your property will sell for more money in the market, and be worth more to you at home, if you devote an odd hour now and then in sprucing up.

Messrs John T. Lewis & Co. white lead manufacturers, of Philadelphia, have already received from a firm in Richmond, Virginia, a draft for $1,130 for debts contracted during 1860 and 1861. This is certainly the first payment of debts due a loyal firm by any firm in Richmond.

A teacher, a young lady, put this question to her scholars one morning: "Who made you?" The oldest boy in school could not tell, neither could any of the scholars, till she questioned the smallest and youngest urchin in school. He answered promptly. The teacher, turning to the largest boy, said, "Are you not ashamed not to know what this little fellow knows?" "He?" replied the big 'un, "Thunder! I think he might know; *taint a fortnight since he was made!*"

Personal.

General Rosecrans, whose name is indissolubly connected with some of the most memorable and brilliant battles of the war, is in Boston, on a visit, for a few days.

A spirited contest is going on in Iowa for the vacant seat in the United States Senate of Secretary Harlan. Hon. John A. Karson, Maj General Samuel R. Curtis, Brigadier General Fitz Henry Warren, and Hon Samuel J. Kirkwood are the opposing candidates.

Dick Morgan, brother of John Morgan, has been sentenced to the Illinois Penitentiary, Alton, for life.

Fernando Wood and family have sailed from New York, for Europe.

A son of Dr. Livingstone, the well known African traveler, is a Sergeant in the Union army.

Another Rise in the Susquehanna.—The heavy rains of Thursday and Friday last have had the effect of causing another rise in the Upper Susquehanna, but the water passed off without doing material damage. The bridge belonging to the Erie Railroad over the west branch of the Susquehanna, at Muncy, was swept away on Saturday. It was a wooden structure, and as the stream at that point is quite narrow it will soon be replaced.

A New Friction Match.—An Englishman has invented a match which is unlike any other. Upon the side of each box is a chemically prepared piece of friction paper. When struck upon anything else whatever it obstinately refuses to flame. You may lay it upon a red hot stove, and the wood of the match will calcine before the end of it ignites.

OIL INTELLIGENCE.

Interesting from Venango Regions

THE OIL LANDS OF WESTMORELAND.

IS THERE OIL IN CALIFORNIA?

The glorious news from our victorious armies in Virginia has absorbed nearly all the time and attention of the public generally, so that nothing but the striking simultaneously of a hundred one thousand barrel oil wells would have excited remark the past three days. Now that the excitement has in a measure subsided, the public is returning to business, and the thousands engaged directly and indirectly in the oil trade are actively at work in their respective branches. Speculation has, to a great extent, ceased in all of the oil regions, the practical men being vigorously at work developing territory. But few companies are being organized, and those that are being formed are in the hands of a good class of men. From the

Venango County Region,

We learn that the greatest activity prevails and all along the creeks and bottom lands on the river where the waters ran riot a few weeks ago, the workmen are removing obstructions deposited by the flood, and preparing for a vigorous spring and summer campaign. The Prather Brothers met with a heavy loss, a few days since, by the bursting of the hoops of a large tank, containing eleven hundred and forty barrels of oil, at the Holmden Well, on Pithole creek.

The Big Tank well, on the Story Farm, which has for the past few months been flowing some thirty-five barrels per day, now flows about one hundred and thirty barrels per day. The removal of the sucker rod caused this increased flow.

In relation to the condition and prospects of the Allegheny River Coal Oil Company of Philadelphia, we have the following:

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

As there are some sixteen thousand shares or more held in this city of the Allegheny River Coal Oil Company of Philadelphia, I would take the liberty to make a statement. The company was incorporated under the general mining law of Pennsylvania on the 4th day of April, 1864, office located in Philadelphia, with a capital of $75,000, divided into shares of one dollar each. The land of the company consists of nearly fifty acres in fee simple, situated about five miles below Franklin, on the eastern or opposite side (from that town) of the Allegheny river. They have been operating as vigorously as circumstances would allow, in boring two wells, one called the "Kendrick," in honor of the worthy President of the Company, whose name it bears; the other called the "Weaver," after our worthy ex-Mayor and present Assessor of the 22d District. The "Smoky City," well is on their land, from which they receive one-fourth of the product, as also the "Superior Well," which has a good promise when fully rigged of being a large contributor to the receipts of the Allegheny River Company. The following information has been telegraphed to the office of the Company by D. Manly, the Superintendent:

"March 31.—The Kendrick well has been tested fully, and I think she will be a *ten barrel well sure,* though others say she will yield fifty barrels."

A letter since more fully confirms the estimate. Persons holding the above named stock can rest assured that the Company is a good one, and their investment in a safe place.

J. K. M.

Oil Lands of Westmoreland.

Blairsville, Pa., April 3, 1865.

To the Editor of the Commercial:

Geographically, this county may fairly lay claim to be within the Venango, Pa., and Ritchie county, West Virginia, Belt, running northeast and southwest. Topographically, the country has upon its face most favorable indications. Geographically, the indications are the same with the Venango and Clarion River Regions. The old fashioned Seneca Oil springs are frequently to be met with, and escapes of hydro-carbon gas are abundant, more particularly upon a small stream some two miles north of Greensburg, crossing the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, at Grapeville station, than at any one particular locality that occurs to me. The stream is known as Brush Creek, and runs north and southwest through a deep and narrow valley, in some places cutting its way through deep gorges, is intersected by wild craggy ravines, and has located on its banks, near Grapeville station, a salt well, whose early history is identical with that of some of the modern oil wells sunk in Venango county—that is a tremendous rush of gas, prodigious in amount, sickening, suffocating and inflamable in its nature, taking fire and burning furiously for many days, and, as an eye witness described it, filling the entire valley, and blazing with fearful energy to a vast height, forming a grand atmospheric conflagration, at once sublime and fearful in its immense volume and terrific force. That oil will yet be struck upon this stream I entertain no doubt. The dip of the stratas indicate to the eye of the geologist that at a point some two miles above the location of the old salt well, is the most favorable location for immediate operations. The depth below the surface where the oil bearing shales will be struck is considerably less than at the intersection of this stream with the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, and although I do not favor shallow borings, still the difference between 850 and 1,000 feet is too serious a matter, financially, to ignore. On the lands of Mr Henry Smith, on this stream, there is, as I conceive, all the advantages of shallow boring, with the certainty of obtaining oil at a moderate depth, with general and specific geological indications exceedingly favorable to the explorer. There is a great subsidence in this part of the valley, both upon the surface and geologically, and surface indications of oil abound.

This locality lies between the Blairsville oil region and the Pleasant Unity oil wells. At each of these points oil was struck many years since in heavy quantities, and work is now being vigorously prosecuted at each point. Should operations be commenced upon Brush Creek, I anticipate flowing wells at least until by a large development the gas becomes partially exhausted, when pumping will have to be resorted to. There are facilities for a successful prosecution of an oil enterprise here more than usual. As to fuel, it is cheap and abundant, coal in immense beds underlying the surrounding hills. The water power on the stream may be easily rendered effectual in driving machinery at a very slight cost. Transportation is almost immediate by the Pennsylvania Central Railroad. Labor is easily procured and at half the cost of that in Venango. Food for men and forage for animals are cheap and abundant, and I am fully justified in saying that a ten barrel yield of oil in this region is fully equal to a twenty barrel yield on the upper Allegheny. I am fully confident that the time is near when the small capitalist and the practical man of moderate means, unable to compete with the monster corporations and single names which represent millions, will, guided by science and the inevitable geological indices of this country, find their way to this section, where a few thousand dollars judiciously invested in practical operations will enrich them as surely as at any other point in Western Pennsylvania. Already the speculators, those vultures of the oil regions, have scented out this valley, and are greedily laying hold of every available foot for miles up and down the stream. I look upon them with but little favor, believing them a drag upon practical enterprise. That they have the sagacity to discover the value of mineral lands in advance of the practical man seems true, and some reasonable reward should result to them, but I cannot too earnestly protest against the hoarding of lands.

M. P. M.

Ohio Oil Regions.

The Ohio Valley Oil Company, it is reported, struck a fine show of oil a few days ago on the Phipps Farm, Duck creek, in Noble county, at a depth about six-hundred feet.

The people of Carroll, Pickaway county, are in a great state of excitement over the supposed discovery of oil territory near that town. An old well, the presence of gas in which compelled its abandonment some years ago, has now been discovered to be an oil well, and a company has been organized to work it.

The Ohio Petroleum Company has contracted for a hotel, to be built on the Joy farm, Federal Creek; the same company is also erecting a machine shop in that locality.

California as an Oil Region.

The following communication from a well known citizen, relative to the existence of coal oil in California will be read with interest. We may premise, however, that a few weeks since, the fact was telegraphed from San Francisco that no oil had reached that market from any of the reported oil counties of that State, and shipments of the article from the Atlantic coast were invited.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

In your issue of March 31st, I notice a paragraph headed, "California as an Oil State," in which Professors Whitney and Brewer are stated as contradicting the reports of Professor Silliman in regard to the occurrence of valuable oil deposits on the Pacific coast, and as you seem to think that "Professor Whitney, from his superior advantages in obtaining information, etc., will probably receive the greatest credence," I beg leave to state through the columns of your paper a few facts of which I am cognizant.

The issue is as between two witnesses of reputed veracity, and *the facts* must decide the case. Professor Whitney has, so he says, never been on the ground, and relies on Brewer. Professor Brewer has never seen either of the springs described by Professor Silliman, and rests all his argument on the assumption that the oil is to be obtained *only* from Asphaltum. Professor S. stands firm on the facts of the case, which are abundant and convincing. 8 rings of *thin Petroleum*, equal to the very best Pennsylvania, are described (*e. g.* see the Philadelphia and California Company Report) which flow down the course of a dry ravine two miles. This well is proved on analysis, by the best Petroleum chemists in the country to be unsurpassed in all good qualities. Prof. Brewer's suggestion that the California petroleum is unlike the Pennsylvania, has no warrant in our present knowledge of facts. The crude oil is less offensive than the Pennsylvania oil. The difference between the California oil regions and those of Pennsylvania, is, first, that of geological age, the Pennsylvania being the oldest; second and chiefly, that in California the oil is accompanied by asphaltum in many cases, but not always, the oil sometimes being without the asphaltum and *vice versa*. Tar of various consistence, some with and some without oil, and jets of gas, are also accompanying phenomena. All these phenomena occur at once in some places. So far as surface show, or indications of oil go, all good judges who have seen both the California and the Pennsylvania regions agree that the California oil regions greatly exceed the Pennsylvania.

Prof. Silliman can well afford to wait the decision of the augers now being sunk in Southern California. This severe test will soon show whether his inferences from the facts in hand are just or not. It is well remembered here in Pennsylvania that neither Prof. Rogers nor Prof. Lesley, nor any of the geological assistants on the State Survey, discovered the oil of Oil creek. Here Prof. Silliman was among the pioneers, having published the first satisfactory or accurate notice of the rock oil in 1854, for which he then received his share of ridicule and abuse. Perhaps he may enjoy a similar triumph now—stranger things have happened. Meanwhile we would suggest that invidious comparisons between professional gentlemen, and the imputation of base or unworthy motives are neither just nor justifiable.

Yours, respectfully,
FRANK SEMPLE.

Pittsburgh, April 6, 1865.

The San Francisco *Mercury and Scientific Press* has something to say upon this subject, from which we make the following extract:

"The latest scheme of this description [bogus mining projects] was brought to our notice by exchanges received by the last steamer, and is based upon alleged extraordinary discoveries of Petroleum 'near the coast of California, about three hundred and twenty miles south of San Francisco,' where it is asserted that a Mr. Gilbert 'has put up for himself a refinery' and drawn 'from one of the great oil wells 400 barrels without apparently diminishing the supply.' Californians who know that there has never been even four barrels of oil refined in this entire State, will read the above with surprise, which will in no wise be abated when they read the following extract from Professor Silliman's report of the locality which accompanies the account. The Professor says:

'The property covers an area of 18,000 acres in one body, on which are at present at least *twenty natural oil wells*, some of them of *the largest size*(!) * * * Artesian wells will be fruitful along a double line of *say thirteen miles* and at least *twenty miles* in linear extent.' " (!!)

The National Debt and Government Bonds

[From the New York Commercial.]

Secretary McCulloch, we are glad to observe has taken an early opportunity of publishing the monthly statement of the condition of the public debt, as required by law of Congress. This legal duty has been neglected since October 31st; principally we presume from a desire to evade criticisms which have no doubt been at times unpalatable to the late secretary. It is much to be hoped that Mr McCullough will satisfy the public expectation of these periodic returns; for the various obvious reasons, that the people have a right to them, by virtue of law, as well as from the fact that they are the creditors of the Government, and therefore should have all possible information of the condition of its accounts, nor less because an officer who properly administers the finances has nothing to fear by showing his ledger. It betokens a very improper disrespect for public opinion, to withhold the information contained in these statements; and the omission to publish them certainly tends to produce mistrust, and is so far injurious to the public credit.

The totals of the several classes of debt on the 31st of March, 1865, compared with the 31st of 31st of October, 1864, are as follows:

Debt.	March 31.	Oct. 31.
Bearing interest in coin	$1,109,361,241	$961,170,791
Bearing interest in lawful money	751,055,128	581,039,315
On which interest has ceased	349,420	356,720
Bearing no interest	515 189,287	471 532,688
Total debt	$2,366 955,076	2,017,099,515
Increase in five months	$349,855,562	

We have thus an increase of $349,855,562 during the last five months, which is at the rate of $840,000,000 per annum, or $2,300,000 per day.

The changes in the principal items of the debt during the five months have been as follows:

Debt bearing interest in coin	Inc	$139,190,450
Debt bearing interest in lawful money	Inc	167,015 813
Debt bearing no interest	Inc	43,656,599
Six per cent bonds exchanged for Seven-thirties	Inc	13 341 750
Five-twenties of June 30, 1864	Inc	48 067,400
Ten-forties	Inc	91,090,100
Texas Indemnity Bonds	Dec	545 000
Five per cent Temporary Loan	Inc	4 097,137
Certificates of Indebtedness	Dec	64 583,000
One and Two Years' Five per ct. Notes	Dec	50,996,760
Three Years' Compound Interest Notes	Inc	54 147,970
Seven-thirty Treasury Notes	Inc	224,144,250
Fractional Currency	Inc	3 528,[illegible]
Unpaid Requisitions	Inc	76,740,618
Amount in Treasury	Inc	36,613,272

There is a decrease of the Certificates of Indebtedness outstanding amounting to $64 583,000, and at the same time an increase in the Unpaid Requisitions of $76 740,618. The latter is very much the result of the former: and we must confess our inability to appreciate this feature of the Treasury management. The Certificates of Indebtedness are an expedient equally convenient to the Treasury and the creditors of the Government. They enable the Treasury to postpone payments which it cannot at present meet, with the least possible inconvenience to the public contractors; as they receive an instrument negotiable in the market and which is therefore to them as good as money, less the discount at which certificates usually sell. It is good policy for the Treasury to reduce its issues of certificates if it be in a position to do so conveniently; but if it has to the same extent to increase its unpaid requisitions, it seriously damages its standing in the market as a buyer of commodities.

The present amount of unpaid requisitions is $114,256,518 a very large amount certainly; but as a set off against this, there is now in the Treasury $56,481,924. We presume that the largeness of the amount in the Treasury is owing to the Secretary having, in these times of panic, preferred that the money in the National Bank depositories should remain undisturbed until the danger of monetary derangement, by its withdrawal, is passed. We are unable, upon any other supposition, to explain how it is that such a large amount should be held in the Treasury while the arrearages stand at such a large amount. The time has now come when the Secretary show consideration to the public creditors, as well as to the National Banks.

The following comparison shows the condition of the legal tender circulation at the respective dates before specified:

	Mar. 31, '65	Oct 31, '64
One & two year 5 p. c. notes	$69,522 330	$120 519,110
U. S. Notes, old issue	492 094	613 132
U. S. Notes, new issue	432 638 465	433,160,569
Comp Int Notes, Mar. 3, '63	15,000,000	15,000,000
Comp Int Notes, June 30, '64	141,377,650	$8 813,830
Total	$659,160 569	$658,106 791

Thus it appears that the volume of legal tender circulation varies only about one million dollars from that outstanding on the 31st of October last.

What Next?

What is wanted is not so much a bald statement to the Southern people that they can have peace and protection by repudiating the Confederacy and resuming their true allegiance, as an appeal palpitating with brotherly regard. It is no longer necessary to dwell with emphasis upon the hard truth that the government cannot and will not give peace for anything less than unconditional submission. That is already well enough understood. The submission can be had. But if we want something more than submission, if we would have genuine, ardent, whole-souled loyalty, we should invite it in language calculated to reassure and ingratiate. Abraham Lincoln, notwithstanding all the abuse heaped upon him by the rebel leaders, is known through the South as well in the North to be a thoroughly sincere man. Words of good will from him, assurance that his policy, so far as the body of the Southern people are concerned, will be to bury the past, to remove sectional distinctions, to secure the universal enjoyment of every national blessing would challenge confidence at once, and we verily believe it would be followed by an enthusiastic response.

If this is ever done, now is the golden instant. The Southern mind is now in its most impressible mood. The fall of Richmond annihilates the last lingering trust in the Confederacy. Its suddenness intensifies the sensation. Every element of the Southern nature is most keenly alive to the question what shall be done? A recoil that should send the Southern people back, at a bound, into the full embrace of the government, would come much more naturally now than after they had sunk, bewildered and nonplussed, into sullen apathy. The hour of victory is always the hour for clemency—always the hour for the easiest winning of the hearts of the vanquished. There are leaders, as all admit, who are beyond clemency either now or hereafter; and the Administration has done most nobly in so steadfastly refusing to grant them any stipulations or proffers. But the Southern people, in the mass, are bound to us by ties which we cannot sever if we would. They are our fellow countrymen, who must not only live, but live with us. For our own sake, as well as theirs, they must have clemency. They must not be dragged back as vassals, but welcomed back as brothers. Our anxiety for this cannot be too quickly or too fully manifested.—*New York Times.*

Jeff Davis on Treason.—Jeff Davis, in the Summer of 1858, in Faneuil Hall, pronounced an anathema upon traitors and treason in language to be remembered when he is captured, and the leaders banded with him in the sacrilegious attempt to overthrow the sacred edifice of the Constitution which they had sworn to support, and which has given them their welfare. It was in such words as these that the chief of the traitors invoked confusion to traitors six short years ago:

Among culprits, there is none more odious to my mind than a public officer who takes an oath to support the Constitution—the compact between the States binding each other for the common defence and general welfare of the other—yet retains to himself a mental reservation that he will war upon the principles he has sworn to maintain, and upon the property rights, the protection of which are part of the compact of the Union.

It is a crime to low to be named before this assembly. It is one which no man with self-respect would ever commit. To swear that he will support the Constitution—to take an office which belongs in many of its relations to all the States, and to use it as a means of injuring a portion of the States of which he is thus the representative, is treason to everything honorable to man. It is a base and cowardly attack of him who gains the confidence of another in order that he may wound him.

Full Dress.—One of the Paris belles appeared at a recent imperial ball, in that festive city, in such a "full dress" that it is said to have been difficult to find the corsage of her toilette, which was cut very low in front, was without sleeves, and kept in its place by a strap of pearls on the shoulders; a bit of lace under the arms was all that could be discerned of the material uniting the waist to the skirt behind. The effect of this toilette was startling, causing in the beholder an uncomfortable apprehension lest by some accident the fair wearer should expose even more of her personal charms than the occasion demanded.

Washington Topics and Gossip

There are rumors of an immediate amnesty proclamation by the President—the depression caused by the loss of their capital being regarded as an opportune moment for the interposition of Executive clemency in behalf of the people.

Gen. Singleton says that the retreat of the rebels to Danville, and their evacuation of Richmond and Petersburg, was decided upon some time ago, when they saw their communications being destroyed and rendered useless. The rebels believed that at Danville they would be able, with the remnant of their armies, to protract the war at least another year.

Official estimates place Lee's retreating army at about 20,000 men. This, added to Joe Johnston's 45,000 will give the Confederacy 65,000 men with whom to fight the last battle.

Mr. Green, formerly a wealthy citizen of Richmond, but who was banished from that city because of his loyalty, has been appointed Postmaster of Richmond, and will immediately proceed to the scene of his former sufferings for the Union cause. President Lincoln will not return to this city for a day or two.

Vegetable Gardening for the Month.

From the *Gardener's Monthly* we extract the following in relation to vegetable gardening for the present month: Tomatoes, Egg Plants, Peppers and similar plants, every gardener tries to get as forward as possible. South of Philadelphia they may be out unprotected by the middle of the month. Here we seldom risk them before May. The same may be said of Sugar Corn, dwarf and Lima Beans, Okra, Squash, Cucumber and Melons. No time can be set for sowing these, except not to sow till the ground has become warm. A few warm days often makes us "feel like gardening," but unless the ground is warmed, the seeds will be very likely to rot. Here we sow about the first week in May. Onions for seed should be sown in rich soil, but very thickly, so as not to become larger than marbles. A crop of carrots should be sown the end of April. In moist seasons the earlier crops are liable to run to seed.

Early York Cabbage sown last month, or kept over the winter, must now be planted out, where there is a demand for summer greens; and to meet this want, another crop of Spinage may yet be sown.

Bean poles may be planted out preparatory to sowing the Lima bean in May. When bean poles are scarce, two or three hoop poles, set into the ground one foot from each other, and tied together at the top, make as good a pole, and perhaps better.

Dwarf beans should not be sown closer together than two inches. The Valentine is still the most popular; a kind called the Early Batter came into use a few seasons ago, and is valuable from the fact of its having very little "string," even when nearly mature.

Peas should be sown every two weeks to obtain a succession. There are few additions to the old stock among the early kinds; but in the later ones there have been some decided improvements. Harrison's Glory, Flack's victory, and Fairbeard's Champion of England, have already got a good reputation. Some new Marrowfats, that are dwarfish, are also improvements, at any rate in that respect, of which Climax, Alliance, and Bedman's Imperial, are well spoken of. For those who have good sticks at command, a six-footer, called Leviathan, and one nearly as tall, called General Windham has been introduced. Trant's Evergreen Pea is spoken highly of.

Lettuce for a second crop of salad, should be sown about the end of the month. The Drumhead Cabbage is usually sown for a summer crop; but the old kinds of Cos Lettuce would, no doubt, be found very valuable in rich soils.

It is not a good plan to cut all the Asparagus as soon as they appear. A few sprouts should always be left to grow from each, to strengthen the plants.

Where Brussels Sprouts, Cape Broccoli, and Autumn Cauliflower are desirable, now is the time to sow. They require the same treatment as the general Cabbage crop.

Charleston.

The Charleston correspondent of the New York *Tribune* says that about ten thousand bales of cotton have been discovered hidden or buried in and around Charleston. The black loyalists have defeated all the efforts of the rebels and the semi-rebels to conceal their precious staple. It was thought, when we captured Charleston, that we would not get more than four or five hundred bales. If a willingness to take the oath of allegiance be a true test of loyalty, Charleston is very far from being a "hot bed of treason." Thirty-two hundred persons have already held up their right hands, kissed the Bible, and solemnly declared that they would "true allegiance bear" to the Government of the United States. The colored Methodists of the city are in doubt whether to join the M. E. Church of the North or the African M. E. Church. They prefer the former, but want equal rights in the National Conference with the white members, and no colored galleries or other marks of separation which they have suffered while in the M. E. Church South. They have decided to hear duly accredited agents of the African M. E. Churches before making their final judgment.

Resuming Correspondence.—Almost immediately after the capture of Charleston advices were received in Philadelphia concerning the stock of the Charleston Gaslight Company. A good deal of this stock is held in that city. The rebels confiscated it. The General in command commanded at equally short notice that the certificates be made out and forwarded to their proper owners. Those owned in Philadelphia have been received.

Messrs John T. Lewis & Co., white lead manufacturers, of Philadelphia, have already received from a firm in Richmond, Virginia, a draft for $1,130, believed to be for debts contracted during 1860 and 1861. This is the first payment of debts due a loyal firm by any concern in Richmond.

Two-Thirds.—When Jeff. Davis went down to Georgia last September he reported that two thirds of his enlisted soldiers were absent without leave. He is now supposed to be again on the road to Georgia to report that the other third are gone.

MARRIED.

ROWE—KREPPS—On Tuesday evening, March 28th, at the residence of John Paton, by Rev. Charles Dickey, J. C. Rowe, of Pittsburgh, to MELINDA KREPPS, of Allegheny city.
(Cleveland papers please copy.)

PURE MEDICINAL LIQUORS.

Cognac Brandy—best imported.
Fine Old Madeira and Sherry Wines.
Claret and Champagne Wines.
Jamaica Rum.
Pure Old Holland Gin.
Pure Blackberry Brandy and Wine.
"Bell's" Old Rye Whisky.
Pure Port Wine.

Our Brandies, Sherry, Madeira and Port Wines are purchased in bond from the proprietors of the most celebrated vineyards, and being received direct from the Custom House, we will warrant them a pure vintry and unadulterated.

Our stock of the above goods cannot fail to please.

N. McCLARRAN & CO.,

Druggists, 85 Market street, corner Diamond, near Fifth street. mh24

STOCKHOLDERS OF THE NATIONAL REFINING AND STORING CO.,

Will please take notice that the fourth instalment of THREE DOLLARS PER SHARE is now due, and will be received at the Trust Company, Diamond, Allegheny, Union National Bank, corner Fourth and Market streets, or at the office of the Company, No. 19 Irwin street. Certificates for Stock can now be had at their office. C. BERINGER, Secretary.
ap7-1w

THE GREAT STEINWAY PIANOS,

A splendid stock of STEINWAY'S PIANOS on hand and received.

H. KLEBER & BRO.,
122 Wood Street,
mh23-eod Sole agents for Steinway's Pianos.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE BURGETTSTOWN STOCK CO.

Will sell on SATURDAY, 15th April, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at McNary's hotel, in Burgettstown, Washington county, Pa., their celebrated English imported Stallion, PRINCE ROYAL, to the highest bidder. Terms made easy. ap6-7t

HARDAWAY & SONS, Manufacturers of Improved Patented

Spike, Rivet and Bolt Machines,

ST. LOUIS, MO.

References—Chouteau, Harrison & Valle, Laclede Rolling Mills; Collins & Holliday, Broadway Foundry; Marshall & Co., Western Foundry; John McCarty, Bogy Nail Mill. mh17-3w-eod

SPLENDID COUNTRY SEAT FOR SALE—Containing 12 acres, on which are erected a neat cottage house, barn, patent ice house, and numerous out buildings. A fish pond nearly completed. The dwelling is surrounded with forest, shade and ornamental trees, an excellent orchard of choice apple trees—peach, pear in great varieties, also well stocked with grape vines, current bushes, &c. The place commands a fine view of the river, two railroads, and located within three minutes walk of the Braddock Station. Persons wishing to purchase a country home, their attention is directed to the above.
Apply to [ap7] B. McLAIN & CO.

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BEST REFINED TOOL CAST STEEL,

Spring, Plow, Blister and Saw Steel.

Railroad Car Springs and Spring Steel.

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Best Cast Steel suitable for Oil Tools.

WAREHOUSE: 83 WATER street,
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COAL FLATS.—FOR SALE, TWO NEW COAL FLATS—Cheap. Enquire of JACOB MENGUS, Pilot of the Towboat Arrow, or at MELLON & BROS'. COAL OFFICE, below the Connellsville Railroad Depot. ap5

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF PITTSBURGH.

Late Pittsburgh Trust Company.

Cor. Wood and Fifth sts.,

Financial Agent of the United States,

AND

Special Agents

OF

JAY COOKE,

FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE POPULAR

7-30 TREASURY NOTES.

Is now receiving subscriptions for this Loan under the new arrangement.

The usual Commission paid to Banks and Bankers.

JOHN D. SCULLY, Cashier.

de31-3m

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a small BRICK HOUSE, of three rooms, in the central part of Allegheny. Inquire at No. 111 Robinson st., Allegheny. ap7-1t

LOST.—A SMALL TRUNK, carried off by the flood from Oil City. The trunk is a small black one. It was marked by a card with name of E. C. LOCKE, N. Y. There is a book on top of my clothes, in the trunk, with my name marked on it. Any person retaining said trunk, or addressing me at Pennock, Ball & Co's, Oil City, will be liberally paid for their trouble.
EDW. C. LOCKE,
Oil City, Pa.
ap7-1t

FOR SALE—

A PORTABLE ENGINE,

For OIL PURPOSES, with six inch cylinder and twelve inch stroke, tubular boiler, nearly new; all in good order. Can be seen on steamboat Sewickley, now lying at the Pittsburgh wharf, on the Allegheny river. ap7-1w

J. G. BAKER.........B. F. SMITH.........R. B. CARR.

NEW TOBACCO HOUSE.

BAKER, SMITH & CO.,

Dealers at wholesale in

TOBACCO, CIGARS, SNUFF, &c.,

No. 297 LIBERTY street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Storage can be had by applying at 297 Liberty st.
ap7 1y

REMOVAL.

DAV. CRAWFORD,

Commission Merchant in Pig Metal, Blooms, &c.,

Has removed his office from No. 123 Water street to corner of Wood and First streets, over People's National Bank.

The Iron Commission business carried on in all its branches.

Cash advances made—consignments solicited.
Refers to the manufacturers of the city. ap7 3m

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Pittsburgh, Pa. Designated Depository United States.

Quarterly Report, April 3d, 1865.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$1,404,056 74
U. S. Bonds	550,000 00
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness, 6 ℔ cent.	470,000 00
Specie and Legal Tender Notes	66,268 00
Due from Banks and Bankers	373,898 93
Bills of solvent State Banks	38,263 00
Cash Items and Remittances	17,872 30
Real Estate	37,000 00
Expense Account	9,510 60
	$3,559,809 57

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$500,000 00
Circulation	360 000 00
Due to Banks	227,445 10
Due Treasurer of the United States	394,299 15
Due Depositors	1 995,050 [illegible]3
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Internal Revenue Tax Account	2 463 12
Profit and Earnings	80,556 27
	$3,559,809 57

I hereby certify that the above statement is a true abstract from the Quarterly Report made to the Comptroller of the Currency, to April 3d 1865.
ap7-3t JOHN D. SCULLY, Cashier.

PENNSYLVANIA, SS:

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,

ANDREW G. CURTIN,

Governor of the said Commonwealth.

A PROCLAMATION.

The last centre of treason has fallen. Richmond is ours. Our armies entered it amid the cheers and general joy of its rescued inhabitants so long ground under the heel of usurping oppressors. The beaten rebel host is fleeing hotly pursued by our victorious cohorts and to be soon captured or dispersed.

Let us give glory to the Lord who hath given us the victory.

The Republic is saved.

Again let us say glory to the Lord, who hath inspired our heroic people, that during four years, though often baffled, defeated and disheartened, they have persisted steadily in the great cause, and have poured out their blood and treasure like water for the salvation of the country.

The names of our leaders and their companions, on the land and water, stand on imperishable rolls of honor and to the last hour of time will be held in grateful remembrance.

I call on the people of the Commonwealth to assemble in their places of worship on Sunday next, and render thanks to Almighty God for all his mercies and especially for that he hath been graciously pleased to look favorably on us, and make us the instruments to establish the Right—to vindicate the principles of Free Government—and to prove the certainty of Divine Justice.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State at Harrisburg, this fourth day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-ninth.
[L. S.] ELI SLIFER,
ap6 3t Secretary of the Commonwealth.

WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE.

In pursuance of "An Act to unite the Colleges of Jefferson and Washington, in the county of Washington, and to erect the same into one corporation, under the name of Washington and Jefferson College," approved the 4th day of March, 1865, the following persons have been duly elected trustees of Washington and Jefferson College, viz: William Jeffrey, D. D., J. McCullough, Esq., John Hays, Esq., Geo. Marshall, D. D., Wm. Park, Esq., John T. Pressley, D. D., William McDaniel, Esq., James Sloan, D. D., Hon. J. K. Moorhead, Hon. James P. Sterritt, James Alexander, D. D., James Veech, Esq., John E. Bell, Esq., Rev. James C. Campbell, Cyrus L. Pershing, Esq., Hon John H. Ewing, John Stockton, D. D., Rev. Robert Herron, C. M. Reed, Esq., James King, M. D., Rev. William F. Hamilton, Robert Sherrard, Jr., Esq., Rev. J. R. Johnson, A. W. Acheson, Esq., John Eagleson, D. D., Robert Crangle, Esq., Samuel J. Wilson, D. D., James J. Brownson, D. D., Rev. James R. Hughes and William McKennan, Esq.

The undersigned, Secretaries of the meetings at which the above named persons were elected trustees, hereby give notice to them of their election, and designate Washington, in the county of Washington, Pennsylvania, as the place, and WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of April next, at 2 o'clock, p. m., as the day and time for the first meeting and organization of the Trustees aforesaid, and for the transaction of such other business as shall pertain to the establishment and interest of the new College, erected by the said act of Assembly.

JAMES McCULLOUGH,
Sec'y of Board of Trustees of Jefferson College, Pa.
THOMAS McKENNAN,
Sec'y of Board of Trustees of Washington College, Pa.
March 30th, 1865. ap6-2t

YOUNG MEN'S MERCANTILE LIBRARY LECTURES.

JOHN B. GOUGH.

WILL DELIVER THREE LECTURES IN

CONCERT HALL,

SATURDAY, April 8th—"London by Night."
MONDAY, April 10th—"Temperance."
TUESDAY, April 11th—"Fact and Fiction."

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture commences at 7¾. Seats may be secured for Monday and Tuesday evenings, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of the day of Lecture, at the Library Rooms.

There will be no reserved seats Saturday evening. Tickets 50 cents. Reserved seats to others than holders of season tickets, 25 cents extra.

THOS. BAKEWELL, Jr.,
C. L. CALDWELL,
R. C. ALBREE,
W. B. EDWARDS,
JAS. J. DONNELL,
CHAS. A. HOWE,
ap5 Lecture Committee.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that books will be opened at the offices fronting on Wood street, second story of the PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK, corner of First and Wood streets, in the city of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, MONDAY, April 24th, A. D. 1865, for subscription to the Capital Stock of the "Boatmen's Fire and Marine Insurance Company," of Pittsburgh, ($250,000,) and remain open five days, from the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m. to 4 o'clock, p. m., of each day, unless sooner taken, as authorized by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania, approved the 20th day of March, A. D. 1865.
DAVID E. PARK,
JAMES I. BENNETT,
R. C. GRAY,
W. W. MARTIN,
DAVID M. LONG,
mh24-30t Commissioners.

ASTROLOGY.—Ladies and gentlemen are you in trouble, wronged, or deceived, or your fondest hopes blasted, go to Madame DEVILLE'S, at the Scott House, corner Irwin street and Duquesne Way room No. 25 (for one week only.) and get your fortune told in Love, Money or Business. She was never known to fail, and often bring together husband and wife, maid and lover, that have long been separated. Ladies, 50 cents; gentlemen, $1 00. ap6-6t

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MORTGAGES,
LEASES, PENSION BLANKS,
OIL LAND REFUSALS, and
ATTORNEY AND ALDERMAN'S BLANKS,
Printed and for sale by
W. S. HAVEN,
Printer and Stationer, cor. Third and Wood streets.
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PRODUCE—

1 bbl. prime Roll Butter.
2 kegs " Lard.
Received and for sale by
GEO. B. JONES & CO.,
fe23 141 Water street.

WALL PAPERS.—The newest designs of gold, velvet, satin and common papers, now receiving at No. 107 Market street, near Fifth street. [mr4] JOS. R. HUGHES & BRO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK

OF PITTSBURGH,

(Corner of Wood street and Virgin Alley.)

Financial Agent of the United States.

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SPECIAL AGENT OF JAY COOKE, U. S. AGENT FOR THE SALE OF THE

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mh29-tf JNO. B. LIVINGSTON, Cashier.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

FOURTH NATIONAL BANK.

U. S. Government Depositary.

Pittsburgh, February 23d, 1865.

This Bank is authorized to receive money, PAYABLE AT TEN DAYS NOTICE, (after thirty day's,)

BEARING 6 PER CENT. INTEREST,

And furnish the Depositor with Hon. F. E. SPINNER, U. S. Treasurer's certificates for same.

It is hoped this *new* and *desirable* arrangement will meet with the favor of the entire community, and as the advantage of obtaining 6 per cent. interest on money, payable as above, commends itself, we trust a large demand of money will be obtained for the Government.

JAMES O'CONNOR, President.
ALLEN DUNN, Cashier.
fe23-tf

4TH NATIONAL BANK,

U. S. GOVERNMENT DEPOSITORY,

NOTICE.

Pittsburgh, February 23d, 1865.

Having been appointed SPECIAL AGENT for

JAY COOKE,

U. S. AGENT FOR 7-30 LOAN,

We offer this desirable investment in sums to suit purchasers. The Notes are in sums of $50, $100, $500, $1,000 and $5,000, and are transferable on August 15th, 1867, into a 5-20 Gold Bond AT PAR.

These desirable securities are selling at the rate of four millions of dollars per day, and in a very short time will be *at a premium*.

☞ To Banks, Bankers, Brokers, Trust Companies, Insurance Companies, and all who purchase to sell again, a liberal Commission will be paid in Cash.

It is hoped every one will invest in this highly desirable, safe and profitable security.

JAMES O'CONNOR, Prest.
ALLEN DUNN, Cashier.
fe23-tf

4TH NATIONAL BANK

OF PITTSBURGH.

U. S. GOVERNMENT DEPOSITORY.

Pittsburgh, February 1st, 1865.

NOTICE.—Wishing to further the design of the National Bank Law, to provide a Uniform System of Currency, the

Fourth National Bank of Pittsburgh,

will, on and after February 1st, 1865, receive from her regular Depositors, Customers and Dealers,

CURRENCY AT PAR.

By this course the public will obtain par money, free of all charge, in exchange for their currency.

By order of the Board.

ALLEN DUNN, Cashier.
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Fourth National Bank of Pittsburgh,

U. S. GOVERNMENT DEPOSITORY.

Pittsburgh, April 3d, 1865.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THIS BANK published in conformity with the Act of Congress establishing National Banks.

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$200,000 00
Circulation	200,000 00
Due Depositors	1,666,385 19
Dividends unpaid, payable on demand	390 00
Contingent Fund reserved in conformity with National Bank Law	3,573 38
Additional Contingent Fund reserved by special Resolution of Board of Directors	4,000 00
Profit and loss since November 24th, 1864	15,512 59
	$2,089,861 16

ASSETS.

Loans and Discounts	$903,588 35
Due by Banks and Bankers	269,181 74
Due by Banks (special), payable in gold	8,480 45
Gold and Silver Coin in Vault of Bank	39 9[illegible]0 99
Remittances from Banks in transit, (cash)	53,539 94
Drafts and Checks	46,457 39
U. S. Legal Tender and Bank Notes	104,141 00
U. S. Treasury Notes U. S. 5 20 Gold Bonds U. S. 10-40 Gold Bonds	663,671 30
	$2,089,861 16

Pittsburgh, April 3d, 1865.

City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny, State of Pennsylvania, SS:

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public duly commissioned and sworn Allen Dunn, a Cashier of the Fourth National Bank of Pittsburgh, who, being duly sworn, deposes and states that the above statement is correct and true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

ALLEN DUNN,
CASHIER,

Sworn and subscribed to before me, the day and year above written.

S. S. BRYAN,
ap4-tf NOTARY PUBLIC.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT OF THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,

On the morning of the 3d of April, 1865:

Notes and Bills discounted	$423,620 04
U S Bonds and other Government securities	626,750 00
Real Estate and Fixtures	36,216 26
U. S. Revenue Stamps	1,775 19
Taxes and Expenses	7,832 22
Remittances	3,700 07
Due from Banks	136,411 11
Coin	8,700 00
Legal Tender, National Currency and other money	458,899 28
	$1,683,896 16
Capital Stock	$100,000 00
Circulation	243,300 00
Profits	35019 49
Contingent Fund	3159 4[illegible]
Unclaimed Dividend	460 00
Deposits	852,559 17
	$1,6[illegible]3,898 17

ap5-3t JNO. B. LIVINGSTON, Cashier,

AGENTS FOR

ABENDROTH BROS.

Cast Iron Drain, Water and Smoke Pipes, Elbows, Tees, Return Bends and Branches, of all descriptions. For sale at New York prices.

Oil Well Tools, Tube and general supply house for Oil Wells.
DAVIS & PHILIPS,
ap4-3m No. 110 Water street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

REMOVAL.

J. T. COLVIN & COMPANY,

Grain and Produce Dealers, have removed from No. 6 Smithfield street, to No. 396 Penn Street, Warehouse, formerly occupied by Reese, Graff & Dull. ap3-6t

FOR SALE—

ONE NEW UPRIGHT DRILL.

In course of construction, one 6 by 14; one 7 by 14, and one 7 by 20 inch. OIL ENGINES, with LOCOMOTIVE or FLUE BOILERS.

For sale at

M. BARRAGH & CO.'S,
ap4] Engine Builders, Fallston, Beaver Co., Pa.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—WARING & KING have this day associated with them ERVILLE T. WARING, of Philadelphia. The style of the firm will, in Pittsburgh, be

WARING & KING,
Office 33 Market street.
And in Philadelphia, WARING, KING & CO.,
Office 110 Walnut street.
April 1st, 1865—ap1-1w

GLOBE MARBLE WORKS,

No. 51 Wayne st., East side, near Pa. Railroad Passenger Station, Pittsburgh.

I would invite the attention of persons desiring anything in the marble line to call and examine my stock of finished monuments, grave stones, &c. Having secured the services of some of the best artists of the Eastern cities, I am prepared to execute any kind of work in my line in a style not to be surpassed.
mh18-6m R. A. COLVILLE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned having sold their Warehouse at Oil City, Venango county, Pa., hereby give notice that the partnership heretofore existing between them, under the name and style of JOHN BURGESS & CO., ceased from and after the tenth day of February, 1865.

JOHN BURGESS,
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mh28-2w W. J. YOUNG.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

By authority of the Secretary of the Treasury, the undersigned has assumed the General Subscription Agency for the sale of United States Treasury notes, bearing seven and three-tenths per cent. interest per annum, known as the

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These notes are issued under date of August 15th, 1864, and are payable three years from that time in currency, or are convertible at the option of the holder into

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These bonds are now worth a premium of nine per cent., including Gold interest from November, which makes the actual profit on the 7-30 loan, at current rates, including interest, about ten per cent. per annum, besides its *exemption from State and municipal taxation, which adds from one to three per cent. more,* according to the rate levied on other property. The interest is payable semi-annually by coupons attached to each note, which may be cut off and sold to any bank or banker.

The interest amounts to

One cent per day on a			$50 Note.	
Two cents	"	"	$100	"
Ten	"	"	$500	"
20	"	"	$1000	"
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Notes of all the denominations named will be promptly furnished upon receipt of subscriptions. This is

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In order that citizens of every town and section of the country may be afforded facilities for taking the loan, the National Banks, State Banks and Private Bankers throughout the country have generally agreed to receive subscriptions at par. Subscribers will select their own agents, in whom they have confidence, and who only are to be responsible for the delivery of the notes for which they receive orders.

JAY COOKE,

Subscription Agent, Philadelphia.

Subscriptions will be received by the
First National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Second National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Third National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Fourth National Bank, Pittsburgh Pa.
Merchants' and Manufacturers' National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Pittsburgh National Bank of Commerce, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Iron City National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Tradesmen's National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Farmers' Deposit National Bank, Pittsburgh.
Mechanics' National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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Allegheny National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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Pittsburgh, April 3d, 1865

BOOKS OF SUBSCRIPTION TO the stock of the Pittsburgh Academy of Music will be opened at the office of P. R. Mertz, 118 Wood street, on MONDAY, the 17th inst., at which time and place, one or more of the Commissioners named below will be in attendance. Two dollars and fifty cents per share (or 25 per cent.) payable at time of subscription.
P. R. MERTZ,
CHAS. W BATCHELOR,
GEO. H HOLTZMAN,
HENRY M. MURRAY,
ap4 2w W. P. WEYMAN.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.—The Directors of the "MASS MINING COMPANY," of Pittsburgh, have levied an assessment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE on the Capital Stock, as the same may stand at the close of business on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of April payable to the Treasurer, on MONDAY, the 1st day of May, 1865, with interest added after that date.
JAMES M. COOPER, Treasurer,
Pittsburgh, April 1st, 1865. ap1-1m

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SOLICITORS OF SOLDIERS' CLAIMS.

NO. 144 FOURTH STREET, PITTSBURGH

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The firm of PHILLIPS & BEST, Glass manufacturers, is this day dissolved. The name of the firm may be used by either of the partners, but only in the liquidation of the firm's business.
WM. PHILLIPS,
Pittsburgh, March 7th, 1865.—mh28-tf

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CITY MATTERS.

☞ For additional local see first page.

U. S. Christian Commission.

The Army Committee of Western Pennsylvania presents the following report for March. The following gentlemen have been commissioned as our delegates to the

ARMY OF THE CUMBERLAND:

Rev. M. C. Williams, Ft. Wayne, Indiana.
Rev. Samuel Kerr, Harrisville, Pa.
Rev. R. B. Boyd, do do.
Mr. Wm. Rea, State Lick, Pa.

TO ARMY OF POTOMAC.

Mr. Thos. R. Jones, Birmingham, Pa.
Mr. Chas. Seymour, Hudson, Ohio.

We have also sent to Richmond ten "Minute Men," who have held them elves in readiness to start for the battle field at a moment's warning. They are now within the army lines near the rebel capital.

All letters concerning delegate work should be addressed to Joseph Albree, Field Secretary, No. 71 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

Amounts received by the Treasurer of the Christian Commission in March, 1865:

1, Dunlaps Creek L C C, Fayette Co, Pa	$ 30 00
2, L C C, Ligionier, Westmoreland Co, Pa	100 00
2, Juveniles S A S, Wellsville, Ohio	70 00
2, Rev B Mitchell, D D, Jefferson Co, Ohio	15 00
2, Lecture by J B M Michael, Bell Brook, Ohio	4[illegible] 00
3, Jersey Union Aid Society, Allegheny Co, Pa	32 00
3, L C C, Presbyterian Church, Georges Creek, Fayette Co	20 00
3, S A S, Burrell tp, Westmoreland Co, Pa	15 50
3, U P Church, Troy Ohio	16 00
4, Evg Luth Church, Fayetteville, Lawrence Co, Pa	69 50
6, Elias Freeman, Uniontown, Pa, $3, A Friend, Uniontown, Pa, $2	5 00
6, L C C, Union Church, (U P,) Rob'n tp, Allegheny Co, Pa	53 75
6, Exhibition by Little Girls, Pittsb'h Female College	14 40
7, O S P Church, Westmoreland Co, Pa	7 00
7, Mrs Mary Larimer, Irwin's Station, Pa	10 00
8, Constitute Miss Ellen Murdoch, Mrs W J Read and Wm. Frew, life members of S C C, of Pittsburgh and Allegheny	75 00
8, Ladies of Centre Pres Church, Canonsburg, Pa	16 00
9, Pres Church, Scrub Grass, Venango co, Pa	16 00
9, Mrs Rebecca Braden, Jefferson co, Pa	2 00
9, Pres Church, Ligionier, Pa	45 00
11, Callensburgh Church, Clarion Pres Pa	5 00
11, Cash	7 [illegible]
11, L C C, New Alexandria, Pa	100 0
11, L C C, Mt Pleasant, Pa	80 0
11, Mrs A M'Farland, Allegheny	10 00
11, Thank offering in answer to prayer	25 0
11, A friend, in Brownsville	50 0
13 Collected by Misses Mary and Delia Cochran, and Ida Gordon, Franklin, Pa	130 00
13, Part proceeds Children's Festival, Brownsville, Pa	350 00
14, Lemmington S A S, Allegheny co, Pa	6 25
14, L C C of Congruity, Westmoreland co, Pa	50 05
15 S A S Pope Run Pres Church	46 15
15 Mrs Kilgore, Hartstown, Venango Co, Pa	1 00
15 Valley U P Church, Hutten, Pa	56 50
15 John Graham, Esq Pittsburgh	50 00
15 Citizens of Donegal, Mt Pleasant Army committee	26 60
15 E R Hiett, Briscoe Run, West Va	4 00
16 L A S New Stanton, Westm'd Co, Pa	17 00
17 U P Church, Rehoboth, Pa	20 75
17 Mrs M Collins, $4, Mrs P Collins, $1, Sharpsburg	5 00
17 Ev Luth Ch, Kelly's School House, Butler Co, Pa	4 18
17 S A S Allegheny Tp, Westm'd Co, Pa	9 75
18 R D Brice	8 00
18 Public School, Penn Tp, Allegheny Co, additional	25 65
18 Mrs Ann McJunkin, Emlinton, Pa	5 00
18 Mrs D A Scott	6 00
22, H C Dravo, Pittsburgh	5 00
22, Buelah S A S, Allegheny co, Pa	5 00
23, Miss M Pomery, Lawrence co, Pa	1 00
23, Cash	5 00
23, Christian Commission, Washington, Pa	600 00
25, David Houston, Lowellsville, O	10 00
25, Mr E C Junken, Wyandott, O	1 00
25, Miss J R Foley, Canonsburg, Pa	5 00
27, U P Church, Salt Creek, O	35 50
28, Adamsville (Crawford co, Pa) Literary Society	26 25
28, L A S, Tarentum, Allegheny co, Pa	50 00
28, Miss Pomery, Lawrence co, Pa	2 00
28, Cash, Blairsville	9 72
28, U P Church, Paris, Wash co, Pa	30 15
29 S A S North Springfield, Summitt Co O	10 25
29 Mrs J W Donald, Salineville O	5 00
30 M E C Pleasantview, Veng Co Pa	23 15
30 U P Church, Steubenville O	6 76
30 Sabbath School Pre Ch Sewickly, Pa	13 00
30 S C C Montours Pres Ch Alley, Co., Pa	25 00
31 Pres Church Bethel, New Lisbon Pres O	18 10
31 Pres Church Canton, Bradford Co O.	14 00
31 Adamsville Church, Crawford Co Pa	39 25
	$4,691 31
Amount previously reported,	139 945 35
	$142,636 66

The expenditures for the month has been

For Hospital Stores	5,275 16
Publications	1347 20
Delegates Expenses	147 00
Drafts of Field Agents	138 00
	$6907 36

The following contributions of stores have been received during March:

1 box hospital stores, from Conneaut Valley Aid Society, Erie county, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores from Mrs. E. C. Gillest, Latrobe, Westmoreland county, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores, from Brush Valley Christian Commission, Indiana county, Pa.

9 boxes hospital stores and 2 kegs kraut, from Christian Commission of Mt. Pleasant, Westmoreland county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores, from Ladies' Soldiers Aid Society of Darlington, Beaver county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores, from United Presbyterian Congregation of Pigeon Creek, Washington county, Pa.

1 box clothing, from Soldiers Aid Society of Erie, Erie county, Pa.

1 box reading matter, from Mrs. John Shephard, Pittsburgh, Pa.

5 barrels vegetables, 1 barrel dried fruit, 1 box canned fruit, 60 heads cabbage, 1 keg pickels, and one box sundries, from Herr's Chapel, Soldiers Aid Society, Allegheny county, Pa.

1 box apple butter from Mrs. John Berry Washington, Pa.

1 box reading matter from Soldier's Lady Friends, of Clinton, Allegheny county, Pa.

1 box onions from C. G. Smith, Manchester, Allegheny county, Pa.

1 barrel onions and 1 keg pickels from A. Kirk, & Co., Allegheny city, Pa.

1 box clothing from Soldiers' Aid Society, first Presbyterian Church, Pittsburg, Pa.

1 box hospital stores from ladies of Mingo Congregation, Washington county, Pa.

1 box reading matter from Samuel Wilson, Merrettstown, Fayette county, Pa.

235 magazines from Rev. Dr. McLaren, Pittsburgh, Pa.

35 empty boxes for packing, from C. H. Paulson, Pittsburg, Pa.

1 box hospital stores, and ½ barrel apple butter, from Soldiers Aid Society, 1st Presbyterian Church, Mercer county, Pa.

3 barrels apples, 2 do. potatoes, 1 keg, krout, 1 do. pickles, and 1 box of onions, from the Ladies Aid Society, Windy Gap, West Finley, Washington county, Pa.

2 bxs hospital stores, 2 barrels apples, 2 do. beets, 1 do onions, and 1 keg pickled cabbage, from West Middletown Soldiers Aid Society, Washington county, Pa.

1 box, 1 barrel, and 1 firkin hospital stores, from Soldiers Aid Society, Lottsville, Warren county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores, from Soldiers Aid Society, Whitestown, Butler county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores from Ladies Christian Commission, Hampton township, Allegheny county, Pa.

1 package clothing from ladies of Frankfort Springs, Beaver county, Pa.; 1 package do from Robinson Run Soldiers Aid Society; 1 package do from Mrs. Abigal Baker, New Garden, Ohio; 1 package from Robinson Cong. Washington county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores from Ladies' Soldiers' Aid Society East Palestine, Columbiana co. O.

1 box hospital stores from Ladies' Christian Commission, New Somerset, Jefferson co, O.

2 boxes hospital stores, 2 kegs kraut, 1 keg pickles, from Ladies' C C Society of Washington, Penn.

1 box hospital stores from Rimersburg Soldiers' Aid Society of Clarion co, Penn.

1 box hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of South Harbor Creek, Erie co, Penn.

2 kegs pickles from Aid Society of Wattsburg, Erie co, Penn.

2 boxes hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Canfield, Mahoning co, O.

1 box hospital stores from Union Aid Society near Portersville, Butler co, Penn.

1 box canned fruit from Ladies' Aid Society of London, Madison co, O.

1 box woolen socks from Ladies' Aid Society of Washington, Penn.

1 box and ½ barrel hospital stores from C. C. Chartiers, Washington county, Pa.

1 keg saur kraut, 1 box onions, from Ladies' C. C., Washington, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores, from Jersey Union Aid Society, Elizabeth township, Allegheny county, Pa.

1 box clothing from Ladies' Aid Society, Monongahela City, Washington county, Pa.

1 box clothing, 1 sack dried fruit from Elizabeth Ladies' Aid Society, Allegheny county, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of Buena Vista, Allegheny county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society of New Castle, Lawrence county, Pa.

1 keg apple butter from Soldiers' Aid Society of Eldersridge, Indiana county, Pa.

4 boxes hospital stores from Ladies' Aid Society of Jacksonville, Indiana county, Pa.

1 box hospital stores from Beulah society of Wilkinsburg, Allegheny Co. Pa.

1 box hospital stores from New Texas Ladies' Aid Society, Allegheny Co, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores from White township Soldiers' Aid Society, Indiana Co, Pa.

1 box, 2 barrels and 2 kegs hospital stores from Ladies' Aid Society, U P Church, Paris, Washington Co, Pa.

1 box hospital stores from Chestnut Grove, Ladies' C C, Columbiana Co, Pa.

1 barrel onions from Geo Monroe, Worthington, Armstrong Co, Pa.

7 barrels potatoes from Pennsville Ladies' Christian Commission, Fayette Co, Pa.

1 box onions from Ligonier Christian Commission, Westmoreland Co, Pa.

1 keg apple butter and 1 box onions from Ladies' C C. Society, Washington, Pa.

5 boxes and packages of fruit and vegetables from Aid Society of Hampton and Pine townships.

3 packages fruit and clothing from Mrs. Anna C. White, 1 package do from old soldier, 1 package do from Mrs. C. G. Smith, 2 packages do from Mrs. A. McIlwain, 2 packages do from Mrs. Sheib, 5 packages do from Valley H. P. Church, Hulton, Allegheny county, Pa. 1 bag do from Mrs. John Black, Harmarsville, Allegheny county, Pa. 1 package do from Mrs David Aiken, 1 package do from Pittsburg Female College, 1 package do from a soldiers' friend.

3 packages books, papers and magazines from Mrs. Jane Holmes, 2 packages do from Miss Lizzie Smith, Canonsburg, 2 packages do from Mrs. H. R. Murphy, 4 packages from Lizzie Boothe, 1 package from E. M. Wilson, 2 packages from Mrs. Mary Paul, 1 package do from E S. Clark, 1 package do from a friend, 1 package do from Mr. Cuthbert, 1 package do from C. W Smith.

The following articles of hospital stores have been forwarded to our armies during the month of March:

Flannel shirts	737	Fruit, dried, lbs	2,634
Flannel drawers	755	Kraut, bbls	25
Handkerchiefs	255	Pickles, bbls	18
Pairs of socks	418	Onions, bbls	5
Housewives	72	Potatoes, bbls	21
Pillows	90	Turnips, bbls	2
Towels	157	Beets, bbls	3
Slippers, prs	121	Apple butter, bbls	[illegible]
Canes	27	Oysters, cans	25
Crutches, prs	49	Eggs, doz	7[illegible]
Combs, gross	18	Wine, bottles	58[illegible]
Pages of papers	239,076	Large books for libraries	319
Tetaments	478	Small soldiers books	760
Hymn & Psalm books	1,800		
Fruit in cans	298	Magazines	1,9[illegible]

The following articles have been cut out and made up by the ladies of the Christian Commission during the three months ending April 1st:

1,081 flannel shirts, 1,511 pairs flannel drawers and 1,475 pocket handkerchiefs.

Money collected by Ladies' Christian Commission, $239.

We need hardly add an appeal to our report this month. The wants of our soldiers are known to every one. In this the last struggle let every one come up liberally and promptly with their contributions of money and stores.

Send stores to W. P. WEYMAN,
No. 76 Smithfield street.
Cash to W. FREW,
No. 172 Wood street.

ADDITIONAL LIST OF WOUNDED.—The following is an additional list of the killed and wounded in Pennsylvania regiments during the battles of Friday and Saturday last:—J Martin, 155th, right foot; W H Stitt, G, 155th, abdomen; John Sabor, B, 155th, arm; M Waters, I, 155th, left hand; W J Myers, I, 155th, right shoulder; Saml Mays, F, 155th, left shoulder; E R Melchi, E, 155, right breast; W T Jones, I, 155th, left hip; Jas Martin, D, 255th, foot; W H Still, G, 155th, abdomen; Thos Bay, 81st; Hugh Shaw, 140th; Simon Gray, 140th; C O'Neil, 112th; J Supers, 113, right hand; Henry Sanbom, 11th, hip; C Carbaugh, 11th, elbow; Carl Strawes, 11th, arm; M Funk, 121st, foot; Jos Lowe, F, 91st, foot amputated; W C Walden, F, 83d, breast; W H Lindsay, A, 83d, shoulder; W H Still, G, 155th, abdomen; John Fink, I, 83d, eye; F T Rodde, D, 83d, head; Chas Crumle, E, 191st, leg amputated; J J Martin, 107th, thigh.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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March 9th, 1865.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Bank, a general meeting of Stockholders will be held at the Banking House, on SATURDAY, the 8th day of April, 1865, at 11 o'clock, a. m., to take into consideration the question of organizing the Bank under the National law, as proposed by the enabling act of the Legislature of Pennsylvania. H. M. MURRAY,
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IRA B. McVAY,
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50 bbls. Green App ;
3 " Flaxseed;
2 " Eggs;
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WANTED.

WANTED—By a young man, a situation as HEAD BOOK-KEEPER, in some well established business house in this city—has had much experience. Best of references and security given. Address box 342, Pittsburgh Postoffice. ap7-3t

WANTED—A MASTER CARPENTER to take charge of the repairs and superintend the erection of new buildings, placing of machinery, etc. To one fully competent and accustomed to the management of hands, a permanent situation and good wages will be given. Address by letter, giving name, age, reference and salary expected.
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PITTSBURGH PAPER MANUF. CO.,
ap6-tf 82 Third street

WANTED.—ROOM and BOARD wanted after April 1st, by a gentleman, for his wife and boy either in Pittsburgh or vicinity, or on one of the railways. A liberal price will be paid for a suitable place during the summer. Address "S. C."
mh24-tf Commercial office.

WANTED.—AGENTS WANTED for the NURSE AND SPY, the most exciting book ever published, embracing the adventures of a woman in the Union Army as Nurse, Scout and Spy, giving a most vivid inner picture of the war. Returned and disabled officers and soldiers in want of profitable employment will find it peculiarly adapted to their condition.
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By order of the Board.
mh29-tAp17 P. M. HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

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"	3 00	"	"	4 50
"	5 00	"	"	7 50
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TRANSACTIONS APRIL 6, 1865, AT THE BOARD.

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 6s, '81	105 25	......
U. S. 5-20's	105 75	......
U. S. Certificates	98 25	......
Cleveland Railroad Stock	56 00	......
Merch'ts' and Manufact'rs Bank	......	75 00
Second National Bank	......	138 00
Dalzell	......	6 00
Columbia Oil Co.	......	65 50
Phillips	......	4 00
Eldorado	......	1 25
Cherry Run Central	......	2 00
Merchants'	......	50
Pittsburgh and Philadelphia	1 50	1 80
Ohio Valley	......	2 00
Paxton	......	4 25
Ross	......	1 20
Coal Bluff Mining Company	......	1 50
Central Basin	......	1 02
Great American	......	4 00
Western Pennsylvania	......	3 00
Pittsburgh and New York	......	1 25
Banner	......	1 25
Phoenix	......	1 25

THURSDAY, April 6—P. M.

A more confident feeling exists in our stock market, induced by the general belief that the war troubles are nearly over. It was thought that the fall of Richmond would lower the premium on Gold to about twenty-five per cent, but now it appears that the event was too much discounted. The eastern money market is greatly improved, and the depression in railway shares is giving way to a wholesome advance, and this class of investments are looking up sharply. The end of the rebellion is fraught with advantages and benefits to every department of business; and the wheels of trade will move on with more regularity as the nation becomes settled, and her sons return to the pursuits of peace.

—Stocks were still firmer at the People's Exchange. Few sales were effected. Holders seemed determined not to sacrifice their stocks any more. The sales this evening were as follows:

100	Shares	Central Basin		$1 08
200	do	do	do	1 05
100	do	do	do	1 05
100	do	do	do	1 05
50	do	Ross		1 06
500	do	Tarr, Story & Cherry Run		85
AFTER BOARD.				
200	Shares	Central Basin		$1 05
200	do	Pittsburgh & New York		1 20

On other stocks of the list the following were the "bids" and "offers":

	Bid.	Asked
Allegheny Valley R. R.	......	10 00
Steubenville R. R.	......	8 50
Acme	......	30 00
Blood Farm & Ohio Petroleum	1 40	1 75
Caldwell and Philadelphia	4 75	6 50
Cherry Run Central	1 60	1 80
Cherry Run and Blood Farm	91	1 10
Cherry Run & Pittsburgh	95	1 25
Cherry Run and Pit Hole	81	88
Columbia	55 00	58 00
Dalzell	6 00	9 00
Duck Creek	......	16 00
Eldorado	......	1 65
Federal	......	90
Fleming and Blood	......	2 00
Germania of Pittsburgh	......	5 00
Great American	......	4 00
Hemlock	1 80	2 50
Horseneck	1 10	1 20
Merchants'	30	50
McAboy and Cherry Run	75	98
National of Pittsburg	......	1 00
National Refining and Storing	6 50	10 50
Ohio Valley	1 50	2 50
Oil Creek and Cherry Run	3 75	5 50
Paxton	......	4 75
Phoenix	......	1 25
Pittsburgh and Philadelphia	1 55	......
Ritchie	55	60
Union Lamb	50	70
Western Pennsylvania	......	2 75

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued, in compact tabular form, a full statement of the public debt of the United States, to March 31 1865. The statement presents at a glance the date of the Act authorizing each particular loan, the character of the issue, the rate of interest, the amount of loan outstanding, when redeemable, the aggregate interest of each loan, and the semi-annual periods when payable.

Debt bearing interest in coin,	$1,100,361,241
Debt bearing lawful money interest,	751,055,128
Debt on which interest has ceased,	349,420
Debt bearing no interest, including unpaid requisitions, less amount in the Treasury,	515,189,287
Total Indebtedness March 31, 1865,	$2,366,955,075
Annual interest payable in gold,	64,016 631
Annual interest payable in paper,	38,819,899
Total annual interest,	$102,836,531

The last previous exhibit of the public debt on the first of January, 1865, was $2,153,735 444, the annual interest, in coin and paper, $93,131,-991. The unpaid requisitions January 1, last, amounted to $ 75,100,000, and the amount then in the Treasury was but $10,262,958. By the exhibit on the 31st ult., the unpaid requisitions were $114,256,545, and amount in the Treasury was $56,481,924. The net liability on this account compares thus: $115,847,041 on January 1, to $57,771,624 March 31—showing a net reduction in three months of $58,072,417. This is a very creditable reduction of this class of liabilities. The legal-tender notes in circulation on the 31st ult., amounted to $659,160,569.

New York Grocery Market.

April 5.

COFFEE—We notice continued dullness in this market, and we reduce our gold quotations of Brazil one cent ℔ lb. The stock of Rio is reduced 3580 bags by recent sales in lots from importers hands. We notice besides 2,205 bags St. Domingo, for export, at 12¼c, in bond; 50 do, 18; 489 Maracaibo, 20@20¼; and 100 mats Java, 23½, duty paid, all gold. The stock of Rio at the ports, as made up by Messrs. Wm. Scott & Sons, is 64,459 bags, viz: 53,459 bags here, 1,000 in Philadelphia, and 10,000 in Baltimore.

Molasses—The market has been very dull since our last. On Saturday there was a pretty firm feeling, but yesterday and Monday values were again unsettled by the fall in gold and the absorbing interest taken in the military events of the day. The sales are 75 hhds Porto Rico at 62@65c; 20 Barbadoes (resales), 45; 6 Nuevitas, 65; 579 hhds, 27 tc, and 7 bbls Cuba Muscovado, 40@50, including a cargo at the latter price, 4 mos; and 10 bbls New Orleans, $1 10, cash. By auction, 175 hhds new crop Porto Rico sold at 64½@69c, cash.

Sugar—On Saturday last there was a good demand for raw, and with considerable sales, the market being very firm at the improvement noted in our last, but Monday and yesterday the streets were too much excited over our recent military victories to attend to ordinary business, and there was scarcely anything done, but the market closed steadily at the current quotations of Friday last. Refined is in better request; hard 17¾ cents; soft white 15¾@16½; and yellow 14 to 15 cash. Messrs Stuart quote their loaf at 18¾ cents; best crushed and granulated 17¾, ground 17¾; white A 16¾; and yellow C 15¾, cash. The sales of raw were 2,568 hhds Cuba at 11@14¾c; 259 Porto Rico at 11@16c currency, and 7¾@9 gold, and 1,812 boxes Havana at 10¾@11½, 4 months. The stock yesterday was about 7,000 hhds, 27,000 boxes, 102,500 bags sugar, and 600 hhds Melado.

Philadelphia Grocery Market.

April 5.

Groceries are unchanged but very dull, and the sales since last week limited to about 200 hhds Cuba Sugar at 12½@13½c currency, and 77@85c gold. A few small sales of Coffee are also reported at 18@20½c for Laguayra and Rio, and 21 for Java, in gold. Molasses is neglected. The stock of Sugar here, made up on the 1st, 2316 hhds and 2300 boxes Cuba.

Hides and Leather continue neglected and very dull, buyers and sellers being apart in their views, and the prices of both unsettled and lower.

New York Tin Market.

April 5.

Pig Iron sells very quiet, there being no disposition to purchase beyond present wants during the present unsettled state of affairs; we have only to notice small sales of Straits at 27½c gold; and English, 27. 100 slabs Banca sold at 29, cash, in gold; and 8 tons English on terms not made public. Plates continue in moderate jobbing demand, with sales of 7@800 boxes at $8 75 gold, for I. C. Charcoal and $7@7 12½ for I. C. Coke.

Imports from January 1st to March 31st—

		1865.	1864
Pigs, &c	No.	18,035	23 063
Plates	bxs.	74,318	104,282

—Shipping List.

New York Wool Market.

April 5.

The demand continues very light, but some of the dealers report that there is rather more tone to the market. The sales, however, are unimportant at low prices. The sales are 65,000 lbs Domestic Fleeces at from 62 to 80c; 10,000 lbs Pulled, 60c; 5,000 lbs tub washed, part at 90c, and 20 bales Mestiza on private terms.

Imports from Jan. 1st to March 31st, 1865.

From foreign ports	11,605	bales
Coastwise ports	2,088	do
Total	13,691	bales
Same time, 1864	43,276	do

—Shipping List.

Cincinnati Whisky Market.

Whisky has received no attention at the hands of investors, and having been in but moderate request at the hands of manufacturers has been very dull. The transactions from day to day have been meagre, and at figures that were generally regarded above the market. There were no regular sales to-day at $2 12 and $2 08, and for such demand as there may now be in the market $2 08 is the ruling price.

Louisville Lumber Market.

April 4.

Stock of pine lumber light, with sales of common rough boards at $35@40 per 1,000 feet, while the better rates to choice range from $50 to $70. Pine shingles $6 to $7 per thousand, and poplar $1.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKETS

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, }
Friday, April 7, 1865. }

BUSINESS has exhibited no change worthy of notice. The sales were altogether of a local character. Dealers have been cautious and are not disposed to purchase beyond what is required for their immediate wants. The weather was changeable. In the evening we had a warm rain. Both rivers continue in good navigable order. The largest class of boats have no difficulty on that score. In fact, we have more water than business at present, and boats are detained some time in order to pick up a paying trip. The arrivals include the David Watts, from St. Louis, with a good cargo. She is announced for the Idaho gold mines on Saturday. She will go through without reshipping. The Bayard, as usual, had a big trip both ways. She returned at noon. The Parkersburg oil regions appear to be thriving. The Golden Era will be found at the landing. She will return to Portsmouth Saturday. The Pilgrim was detained by high water in the Muskingum, and will not be here in time to leave on Saturday. The boats announced are as follows: America leaves to-day for St. Louis and St. Paul. Passengers going that way will be well cared for on this boat. The light draught steamer, Julia, is announced for the head waters of the Mississippi. She will go through. The packet Spray leaves this day for Cincinnati and Louisville. She will be followed by the Minneola. The pretty steamer Maggie Hays will leave for St. Paul on Tuesday next, so get ready. The Leonidas, Leanora No. 2, Edinburgh and Glide No. 3 are at the landing, waiting their turn to load. A number of boats are due, and may arrive at any hour. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice.

HAY—The market was weak, and prices have further declined; sales of 5 loads at $30 00@35 00 ℔ per ton, as per quality. The demand was limited. Baled was nominal at $30 00

BUTTER—There was an improvement in the demand yesterday, all good parcels offered found ready purchasers at the outside prices. There is a large amount of inferior butter offering which we omit quoting. Among the sales were 17 packages prime at 30, 33@34c.

POTATOES—There was a good demand for a prime article for home use and for export. Peach blows were steady at $1 10 per bushel and $3 50 per bbl. The sales were to a fair extent.

EGGS—The receipts have fallen off. Holders were firm in their views; they would command 20c readily. Some 16 bbls were disposed of at these prices.

APPLES—The market was dull with more sellers than buyers for a prime article. Sales could readily be effected at $4 00@4 50 per bbl. The principal offerings were of an inferior description.

FLOUR—Beyond the demand for local purposes there is nothing doing. Buyers ask a larger concession than holders are willing to submit to, hence we have but few sales to record. The extreme prices were $9 00@10 00 for Extra Family. The sales reported in lots did not exceed 250 bbls. The market contains an ample supply. We notice a fair amount going East by rail.

CHEESE—The market during the past ten days has exhibited more firmness. The outside rates were 20@21c, according to quality. The supply in the market at present is not large.

BACON—The sales were only in a small way, merely to supply the wants of the home market. Some 6,000 lbs were disposed of at the following rates: Shoulders 18c, Ribbed Sides 19½, and Sugar Cured Hams 21c.

GRAIN—The demand was limited and so were the transactions. The supply of the various descriptions is large, with daily receipts. Oats were in moderate demand. Sales 100 bush from store at 84@85c; sales 1 car on track at 81c. Corn—Shelled was not wanted; prices uncertain; sales 1 car ear on track at $1 ℔ bush. Barley, Rye and Wheat did not appear to be wanted. No sales have been reported for some days.

GROCERIES—The market is becoming more settled. Sales Cuba and Porto Rico at 14@15c; Coffee, Rio, 34c.

PENNA. CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

EAST LIBERTY April 6, 1865.

Business at these yards were dull, the sales made being unusually limited. Dealers have manifested but little disposition to operate. The weather was changeable. The news of the capture of the rebel capital has made parties wild with joy, and business was a secondary consideration. The end of the rebellion is at hand. The receipts of stock has been limited, the largest portion being consigned East, the government getting the largest portion of the cattle that came in. The railroads east in fine order. Stocks are now forwarded without the delays that have attended shipments for some time back. The offerings of the various descriptions were small; buyers are expecting prices to go down, hence they are not disposed to operate, save in a small way. The Philadelphia market was weak. We notice several heavy operators in the market merely looking on; their time don't appear to have come. The entire receipts of cattle for the week were 3,681 head.

In Hogs there was a large falling off in the number offered as compared with last week.

SHEEP—The receipts exceeded those of last week by 1,000 head.

The following are the shipping prices per the Penn'a Central Railroad, per 100 lbs:

	New rates.	Old rates.
To New York per cwt	75	72
To Philadelphia	65	55
To Baltimore	65	55

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep	Horses
To Philadelphia	522	260	2,600	138
To Baltimore	3,055	1,121	1,646	140
To New York	......	1,231	4 816	......
	3,577	2,612	4,846	278

SALES OF CATTLE PER CWT.

The sales made were barely worth noting. Prices were about the same; buyers, however, were shy. The only sales were as follows:

J. Mooney bought 38 head	$10 00
L. Ripple bought 31 head (1,141lb)	10 00

A few head of inferior were sold below these prices.

SHEEP.—The offerings were not large. The demand was fair. Among the sales were the following:

George Herron sold 650 head, delivered in Philadelphia, at 12c per lb.
D. Duffey bought 200 head at $10 50.
A. Betz bought 550 head at $11 25.

Other small sales were made at about the same range of prices.

HOGS—Seem to be neglected. The regular rates were from $11@13, according to size. We note as follows:

L. Ripper bought 114 head, weight 235, at $12 75

L. Ripper, bought 110 head, weight 245, at $12 90

D. Logan, bought 110 head, weight 240, at $12 25.

ALLEGHENY LIVE STOCK MARKET.

ALLEGHENY, April 6, 1865.

The stock market during the week exhibits a falling off as compared with the previous one both as regards prices and the amount. The unsettled state of the general markets is beginning to be felt by stock operators. The steady decline in gold, and the certainty of an early restoration of peace has not been without its effect, and hence buyers were not so numerous or so plenty as they were a short time since. The truth is prices have ascended too high, the only proof that exists being the army demand, but when this is removed what a shaking there will be among speculators. The principle enquiry was for No. 1 cattle, whilst other descriptions were without purchasers.

HOGS—The season for large operations being over, we have but few sales to record. The unsettled state of the Eastern markets have caused buyers to hold off. A few head only changed hands—principally to butchers—at prices varying from $11 50@13 ℔ cwt. The supply was fully up with the demand.

SHEEP—The market has ruled steady for some days. We notice large shipments East. The sales reported did not exceed 500 head, at $10@11 50 ℔ cwt. The latter was only paid for an A No. 1 article. The highest prices were paid for a bunch from Washington county.

SALES OF CATTLE PER CWT.

Myers & Bro., bought 250 head at $8 50@10.
W. Crouse, retailed 60 at $7@9.
Reis & Hazlewood, sold 123 at $8 50@10.
Barney & Trowerman, 35 at 10.
Myers & Bro., retailed 44 at $8 50@11.
Merrick & Co., sold 80 at $10 25.
M. Krouse, retailed 51 at $7@9 50.
Taylor & Co, retailed 35 at $6@10 50.
M. Krouse, bought 40 at $8 50.
Marks & Greenawalt, retailed 160 at $7@10 50.
M. Verner, retailed 40 at $9@9 50.
N. Carr, retailed 30 at $7 50@9 75.
C. Marks & Co, sold 54 at $9 75@10 25.
Kernan & Duff, bought 18 at $10 25.

Philadelphia Oil Market.

April 5.

There is nothing doing in Fish or Lard Oils, and prices are unsettled and drooping. Linseed is also at a stand still, and nominal at $1 30@1 35. Of Petroleum the receipts and stocks are extremely light, and the sales limited at 32@33c for crude, and 75@77c for free refined. Bonded Oil is dull, and nominal at 53@55c.

Philadelphia Iron Market.

April 5.

There is little no no demand for pig metal, and prices favor the buyers, who are not disposed to operate, except in a small way for immediate use at $40@44 for forge, and $45@48 for foundry. Most of the furnaces are about blowing out, and about one half in this neighborhood have done so, owing to the relatively high prices demanded for coal and labor, in comparison with the price of iron. Manufactured iron is very dull, and the mills are doing but little, except to fill old contracts.

Louisville Iron Market.

April 4.

No further decline in these articles has taken place since our last report, and we quote stone coal bar iron at 6½@6¾c ℔ lb; Charcoal bar at 7½@7¾c., and sizes out of bar at corresponding prices. S. C. sheet iron 9c; Charcoal 12c; Juniata 11c; Am. Bar steel 12½c; Steel slabs 16c; steel wings 17c. Nails—The market is well supplied. We have heard of a few sales as low as $6 50@6 75 for 10 ds in lots of 100 kegs and upward from first hands. We quote $6 50@6 75 for 10ds, and retail price $7 00.

Louisville Coal Market.

April 4.

Coal—During the past week the retail price for Pittsburgh has been 32c, with a fair stock. We quote Pomeroy at 25c to boats and 30c at retail.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, }
Friday, April 7, 1865. }

Business, in the oil way, was more active; there was a more general demand. Dealers seem more disposed to enter the market. The receipts so far this week have been limited; a number of good sized parcels are known to be on their way and may arrive at any hour. The receipts yesterday reach 1,056 bbls by the Allegheny river. The only departure was the Echo No. 3. She was loaded to her utmost capacity and crowded with people. Several of the Oil City packets are due; most of them will be found at the landing this morning. From Oil City we learn that holders were firm at the mouth at $6 50@7, with various sales; at the wells prices ranged from $5@6, according to the location. The market here was steady, with a fair demand. We continue to quote crude, in bulk or packages returned, at 22c; some holders are asking 22½c. Whether they will be able to establish those prices remains to be seen.

REFINED OILS—Were neglected. There were neither transactions or demand. The nominal rates, or more properly speaking the asking prices, were for Bonded, 50c, Free, 70c. Small lots of 5 and 10 barrels were disposed of principally on western account.

BENZOLE—Was quiet, dealers manifesting no disposition to operate. The last sale reported was Free at 45c. The supply on hand is not large.

TAR—Was dull; prices too unsetttled to quote correctly.

CRUDE OIL.—The demand was steady. The sales were as follows: 110 bbls, 22c, packages returned; 1320 bbls, bulk, 22c; 750 bbls 22c, barrels to be returned or exchanged. At the close 22½c was the general asking price.

Oil Receipts per Allegheny River.

McKelvy	335	J. Wilkins	700
J. Lemon	21		
		Total	1056

Imports Oil per Allegheny Valley R. R.

GOING EAST.

Champion Company, 43 bbls of Refined for Pittsburgh.

New York Petroleum Market.

April 5.

On Saturday, crude was steady at 33c—on Monday buyers being scarce on account of the exciting war news, a single sale was made during the excitement at 31½c, but yesterday the market was remarkably steady during the day at 33c, with a fair demand—the sales since Friday are 1,000 bbls, on the spot, 40@47c, gravity, at 31½c; 4 440 do 33c, in a regular way, but including 400 bbls, under peculiar circumstances, at 32½c, and some low gravity (45 and under) at 33½c; 1,000 do, for April, 34c, B. O.; 500 do, 1st to 15th of May, 33½c B. O.; and 1,000 do, for all May, 34c B. O. Refined has been very inactive, bonded selling only occasionally, and free, in very small lots—the sales are 500 bbls. Bonded for May delivery (B. O.) and 500 on the spot at 54c; 100 do 53c; 900 do free, 70@73c for light straw to white, and 60@70c for straw and Light Straw, closing quiet at about 52@53 for Bonded, and 71@72 for free. Prime 60@63 gravity Naptha is very scarce, and wanted at full prices, but higher gravity is plenty and depressed—we have only to note a small sale at 60@62 gravity, at 50 cents. Fifty bbls. Residuum, sold at $10 ℔ bbl.

Received at New York since 1st January—

1865	bbls. 108,097	1864	bbls.	148,816

Exported same time—	1865.	1864.
From New York.........galls.	1,922,638	4,351,717
Other Ports	815,059	1,565,190
Total.........galls.	2 737,697	5,916,900
Same time, 1863.........galls.		9,831,717

Stock in Yard, April 1—

	1865	1864.
Crude.........bbls.	15,433	31,062
Refined	5,210	42,190
Naptha	983	4,360
Residuum	138	294
Total.........bbls.	21,764	77,906

—Shipping List.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Finance and Trade.

Special to Western Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 6.

The stock market still shows a strong speculative feeling. Transactions this morning were large and generally at an advance. Interest centered principally in the leading railroad shares. The demand for Erie was active; large sales of Reading and Michigan Southern were made at higher prices; Government securities all strong and in fair demand and the amount of bonds floating on the street has been greatly reduced, these having been purchased by foreigners in anticipation of a large demand when the capture of Richmond is known on the other side of the Atlantic; Coal and miscellaneous stocks were stronger and more active. The gold market was weak during this morning by reports that Sherman had catured Raleigh, and also that Sheridan has likely to bag Lee. It gained strength as the day drew to a close and the decline of the morning nearly recovered. Money shows increasing use. Foreign exchange continues quite dull. Petroleum stocks in good demand and the market is firm. Sales of Buchanan Farm at $1 25; Commonwealth, $1 10; Excelsior, $4 45; Germania, 75; Oceanic $2 50; Rynd Farm, $3 58. Crude more active and prices firmer. Sales at 31c on the spot; 2,000 bbls, buyer, May, at 33c; 1 000 bbls, buyer, May, 34c. Refined dull at 53c for bonded, and 70@71c for free.

There was more tone and firmness to the produce and merchandise market to day, but no general activity. The dry goods trade was more animated, and jobbers are doing a brisk business. Country merchants are buying more freely, and prices are about the same.

New York Money and Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 6.

Money active and steady at 6@7 per cent. Call loans sterling dull at $1 09@1 09¼, gold, for first class bills. American gold less active and lower, opening at $1 51¾, declining to $1 50 and closing at $1 50⅝

Government stock steady: 5-20s, regist'd, 102½; do coupon, 107⅛; do new issue, at 107; U. S. 6s, 1 year certificates, 98¾; Missouri 6s, 67; Ohio and Mississippi certificates, 24½; Quicksilver, 65¼; Mariposa, 15¾; Erie preferred, 78; Hudson, 97¾; Michigan Central, 100; Michigan Southern, 60½; Pittsburgh, 65½; Rock Island, 92; Fort Wayne, 90½; Terre Haute preferred, 60.

Prices of Mining Stocks, bid in Boston to-day: Central, no bid; Copper Walls, 24; Franklin, 40; Hancock, 8¾; Huron 4; Isle Royal, 10¼; Minnesota, 8; Quincy, 70 Rock Island, 5; Superior, 6½.

EVENING BOARD.

At Gallagher's Evening Exchange, Gold was 151½; New York Central, 16; Erie, 68⅜; Hudson 101¼; Reading, 101½; Michigan Central, 100⅞; Michigan Southern, 62¾; Illinois Central, 101; Pittsburgh, 66; Rock Island, 93; Northwestern, 25¾; do. preferred, 55½; Fort Wayne, 94½; Ohio and Mississippi Certificates, 25; Canton, 32½; Cumberland, 38¾; Quicksilver, 68½; Mariposa, 16¾.

New York Gold Market.

NEW YORK, April 6,

Speculation in gold is dull. The prospects of the war are such as to leave the former wide fluctuations. The highest rate of yesterday was not maintained this morning, opening at 152½, the price soon fell to 150¾.

New York Petroleum Market.

NEW YORK, April 6.

Petroleum quiet. Crude 34; Refined in bond 53, Refined free 73.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, April 6

Cotton rather more steady at 37c for middlings. Flour 5@10c better, on common grade, at $8 10@8 30 for Extra State, and $8 70@8 85 for R H O, and $8 90@9 75 for trade brands, market closing steady. Whisky firmer and more active at $2 17@2 18, closing at $2 18. Wheat 2@3c better; Amber Iowa, 163; Amber Michigan, $1 80; choice white Western, $2 35@2 37 are the extreme prices. Rye dull, $1 10@1 15. Barley heavy and lower; choice State $1 75. Corn firmer; new yellow $1 40@1 43. Oats rather more steady at 89c for Western. Wool dull. Sugar active and firmer at 12@13½c for Cuba, 13½c for Muscovado and 18¼c for Porto Rico. Molasses dull. Pork heavy, closing with more firmness; $27 50@28 for new mess, closing at $28 regular; $25 for '63 and '64 do, cash and regular way; $23 75@24 50 for prime, and $26 50@27 for prime mess; also, 3,500 bbls new mess for April and May, sellers' and buyers' option, at $27 75@29 Beef steady at about previous price. Beef hams in fair demand at $21@24. Cut meats steady at 14½@15c for shoulders and 15@16c for hams. Bacon steady at 15½c. Cumberland cut, 16½c for short ribbed and 15¾@16c for long cut hams. Lard rather firmer at 15¾@18½c. Butter steady at 13@20c for Ohio and 21@23c for State. Cheese quiet at 14@22c.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, April 6.

A good demand for Flour at $7 00@7 25 for superfine and extra. Wheat firmer at $1 60 for red. Corn is in but limited demand; sales at 70@75c for ear and shelled. Oats in demand at 60@62c in bulk. Barley dull at $1 10@1 20. Whisky held at $2 10; no sales. Provisions unchanged and quiet; Mess Pork at $28; Bulk Meats at 13@14c. Lard 17c. Clover Seed advanced to $13 50, and is in good demand. Flax declined to $1 60. Gold 149; Silver 137@139.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, April 5.

Flour active. Wheat quiet; sales at $1 06@1 06½. Corn firm and advanced; sales at 60c for No. 1. Oats steady; sales at 40@40½c. Provisions quiet and firm. Highwines more active and advanced 3@4c. Receipts—500 bbls. flour, 2,800 bush wheat, 32,000 bush. corn, 3,000 bush. oats.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY CO., PA., }
Pittsburgh, April 5th, 1865. }

TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by this office until the 7th inst., inclusive, for the replacing and repairing the wooden structure of the bridge over Deer Creek, on the Pittsburgh and Freeport Road, in Indiana township. Particulars on application.

By direction of the County Commissioners.
ap-6td&2tw] HENRY LAMBERT Controller.

TOBACCO.

On hand and for sale, a complete assortment of
Ohio Seed Leaf Fillers and Wrappers,
Mason county and other grades Cutting Lugs, fine bright Cutting Leaf, and all grades bright and dark manufacturing Fillers and Wrappers.
Orders for leaf promptly and carefully executed.
RICHARD MALLAY,
mh31-1y 122 West Second st., Cincinnati, O.

PIG LEAD—500 PIGS LEAD just received from the Linden Mines, Wisconsin, from which I will receive supplies weekly. Being very soft and pure it is well suited for Glass and White Lead manufacturers' use.
For sale by WM. BAGALEY,
mh14-tf 13 Wood street.

WILLIAM BAGALEY
WHOLESALE GROCER,
No 13 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa

River Matters.

Arrivals and Departures of Steamboats.

ARRIVED.

Telegraph	Bougher	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
Fayette	Speers	do
Gallatin	Carlile	do
Jas. Rees	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Golden Era	Kerr	Portsmouth.
David Watts	Thompson	St. Louis.
DEPARTED.		
Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
Fayette	Speers	do
Gallatin	Carlile	do
Jas. Rees	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Telegraph	Bougher	Brownsville.
Bayard	Moore	Parkersburg

THE WEATHER was changeable. In the evening we had rain. The pier marks exhibited nine feet water. Business was slow on the landing.

WE are indebted to our friend Bryan, of the Golden Era, for attentions to this office.

THE first class packet, Armenia, Capt. McCallam, is announced for St. Louis and St. Paul. Passengers can get ready as she will go through direct.

THE fine light draught steamer Julia, Capt. D. Z. Brickell, is announced for St. Paul. Persons going that way will find the best of attention on this boat.

THE well known steamer Spray, Captain Donaldson, is loading for Cincinnati and Louisville. She will leave on this day. This boat is well found in every respect, and affords superior accommodations to persons going that way.

Our River Correspondence.

WHEELING, W. VA., April 6, 1865.

To the Editors of the Commercial.

Gents—Steamer Golden Era will be found at the Pittsburgh Wharf on Friday morning. We went down on quite a sea of water, though the river was not so high as the last raise; we met the fall at Pomeroy, and had a declining river all the way up. Manifest—R. C. Loomis, 169 tons pig iron; J. C. Kirkpatrick, 35 oil bbls; Spencer & McKay, 4 ale bbls; Day & Hayden, 4 bbls saddle trees; D. M Egerton, 68 oil bbls; W. P. Beck & Co., 5 bbls eggs; R. T. Kennedy & Co., 31 racks and 36 bbls heading; Clarke & Co, 14 pkgs. H. H. Goods—John Evans, O. B. 26 pkgs. H. H. Goods—C. Pugh, O. B., 65 do. H. H. Goods; discharged at Wheeling, 22 tons; Martin's Ferry, 20 tons; and Wellsville, 175 oil bbls. Leaves promptly at twelve on Saturday, for Portsmouth, and all intermediate points.

W. H. B.

Cincinnati.—Thursday's *Gazette* says the river by the mark at the water works, had risen two feet ten inches during the twenty-four hours preceding six o'clock yesterday morning, at which time there were thirty-eight feet four inches of water in the channel. During the remainder of the day it underwent no perceptible change.

Boats in Port—The following boats were at the wharf last evening: Starlight, W. F. Curtis, Bertha, Nashville, Argyle, Monsoon, Nora, Madison, Kate Robinson, E. Carrol, Navigator, Camelia, Delaware, Rebecca, Jewess, Robert Moore, Anna, Yorktown, Emerald, Iron City, Silver Spray, Ohio No. 3.

BUSINESS.—The rain of yesterday interfered materially with shipments. The Kate Robinson received quite fairly for Memphis, as did, also, the Jewess for St. Louis. The Missouri left with all the freight offering for New Orleans, but it amounted to but little. The Dady Pike and Starlight received quite lively from the Quartermaster's Department, but the officials seemed to have forgotten the W. F. Curtis. Considerable excitement was created among steamboat men by the announcement that Assistant Quartermaster W. P. B. Hunt had reduced the rates to Nashville from 70 to 60 cents. There appeared to exist a determination among steamboat owners to refuse to receive at the latter rate.

BRIDGE.—Workmen are busily engaged in preparing to finish the piers of the Suspension Bridge.

O. & M. T. Co.—The St. Nicholas will leave for Louisville next Sunday evening

LOUISVILLE MAIL LINE.—The John Kilgour has taken the place of the Major Anderson, while she undergoes a thorough overhauling.

The *Enquirer* of the same date says: A new Memphis packet company has been organized, to be known hereafter as the Merchants' and People's Line, comprising the neat passenger packets Anna, Jewess, Naugatuck and Nightingale. The Anna is now loading at the foot of Main street.

Henry E. Astor, a pilot in the Mississippi squadron, was arrested on Saturday, in St Louis, and sent to Cairo. The charges against him have not been made public.

Louisville.—Wednesday's *Press* says:—

"The river was steadily rising yesterday, with ten feet nine inches water in the canal in the evening by the mark. During the previous twenty-four hours it had risen nine inches at the head of the Falls, and twenty-seven inches at Portland. The weather was warm yesterday, with very heavy rains the night previous.

On the Falls last evening there were scant eight feet steamboat water in the Indian chute, and eight feet nine inches water in the pass.

The Tyrone and Columbia came in from the Cumberland river last evening, both well freighted with cotton, and report all quiet along the river. The former has 508 bales of cotton for reshipment to Cincinnati.

Our dispatches announce the arrival of the Bertram in the Missouri river on Saturday last above Omaha. She was bound for Fort Benton, and ran over a snag, involving a loss of $50,000, as it was thought the boat would prove a total loss.

An investigation of the explosion of the Eclipse has been instituted at Nashville.

Nashville, Tuesday—The Cumberland is slowly falling, with about five feet on Harpeth Shoals.

Arrived—Emma Floyd, Cincinnati; Burd Levi, Louisville; Anglo Saxon, do; Rose Hite, do; Idaho, Evansville; J. H. Johnston, St. Louis; Mepham, do.

Departed—Westmoreland, Government employ; Marmora, do; Nightingale, Cincinnati; Burd Levi, do; Rose Hite, do.

Saint Louis, Tuesday 4, P. M.—

We regret to announce this morning a serious accident befel the steamer Schuyler, on her trip down the Illinois river to this port. She was heavily laden with grain, salt, hay and provisions, and had, besides, a barge in tow, with 800 bales of hay, and 500 barrels of pork on board. The barge, by some means, came in contact with the Meredosia bridge, and immediately sank with all the freight. The pork was consigned to Mr. James Riley, of this city, 400 bales of the hay to Cole & Bro., and the other 400 bales to the Atlantic and Mississippi Steamship Company. We could not learn whether the freight or barge was insured.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Parkersburg.

PER BAYARD.—Clarke & Co, 10 bales wool, 231 sks dried apples, 8 bbls do, 4 bxs and 46 bbls eggs; W H Gerrard, 160 sks barley; Spencer & McKay, 200 do do; Jorden, Hollister & Co, 64 bbls apples, 2 do eggs, 11 do beans, 1 do seed; Beck & Co, 19 bbls produce; J W Henry, 46 pkgs; R T Kennedy & Bro, 100 bdls hoop poles; Adams Express Co, 2 bbls eggs; McDonald & Arbuckle, 10 bbls pickles; owner, 54 pkgs, 200 staves; J Marygold, 18 bbls; passenger, 30 pkgs; W P Weyman, 8 pkgs; J C Boffum, 20 bxs starch; Reiter & Reymer, 1 box; London & Mason, 9 pkgs; J Fleming, 7 cases mdse; R E Sellers, 6 do do; Bingham & Sturgeon, 10 sks oats; S H Aide 17 empty barrels; Pittsburgh Paper Co, 36 bdls paper; R Watson; 48 bbls apples; J Herbert, 5 bbls; J R Weldin, 2 cases; Henderson, 13 bbls apples; passenger, 39 pkgs. Charity, 38 sks oats.

St. Louis.

PER DAVID WATTS.—Bingham, Sturgeon & Co, 204 dry hides; James Fleming, 5 boxes merchandise; McDonald, 12 bbls clay; B. L. Fahnestock & Co., 1 box; J. C. Kirkpatrick, 10 bbls oil; Clarke & Co, 750 bbls flour; J. B. Greatham, 10 do oil; owners, 2 boxes; Pike & Co., 8 bbls whisky; G. H. Keyser, 2 bbls alcohol; Mair & Davidson, 4 mills; T. B. Young & Co., 35 pkgs furniture; J. W. Woodwell, 8 doz frames; Clarke, do 143 dry hides, owner, 20 bbls; owner lot of furniture; Baker & Co., 76 cans and 148 boxes, and 20 drums tobacco.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh R. R—Hussy, W & Co 1 lathe; J Irwin, 304 carboys, B A Fahnestock, 1 box; Simpson & K 301 bags; Short C Kolhas, 1 cask; G P Lang, 1 cask; P J Ute, 1 do; W Mullen, 4 old car wheels; Shultz Son & Co, 24 sacks potatoes; C Kennedy, 2 bbls butter; Doolittle & P, 11 bbls apples; Potter A & S, 4 do do: T C Jenkins, 9 do do; C Simlee, 11 bbls apples; R Forsyth, the 1 safe Powder; M Chaffton, 1 do do; Simpson & K 100 bags corn; A Hooveler, 1 car bones; R J Kennedy & Bro, 150 sacks wheat.

Imports per P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.—J Wood & Son, 5 cars metal; G N Hoffstott, 238 dry hides, 1 sack wax; A Hunter, 230 bgs o stuff; J S Liggett, 150 bgs wheat; S B Floyd, 8 bbls dry apples; A Hardy, 20 bbls iron, 4 bars do; M'Elroy & Co, 25 doz brooms; J Kirkpatrick & Bro, 8 pkgs produce; Head & M, 5 do do; L H Voigt, 2 bbls eggs, 11 bbls potatoes; Sigmyer & V, 26 dozen buckets; Means & C, 25 do do; J I House, 25 do do; J Painter, 17 bbls; A Taylor, 70 bbls apples; J Montooth, 6 pkgs produce.

Imports per Allegheny Valley R. R.—Martin, O & B, 1 car iron; J & W Fairly, 85 bags oats; J Smith, 19 pkgs mdse; Head & M, 7 pkgs produce.

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Leave Pitts.	For Chicago.	For Clev'd.	For Wheel'g
Express	2:10 a. m.	2:10 a. m.	2:10 a. m.
Express	2:00 p. m.	2:45 p. m.	2:45 p. m.
Express	3:00 p. m.		
Mail	6:40 a. m.		6:20 a. m
For New Castle and Erie			5:50 a.

Returning, Arrive in Pittsburgh:

P., F. W. & C. R. W. 2:20 a. m. 3:20 p. m. 5:45 p. m. 7:50 p. m, 8:30 p. m. C. & P. R. R. 2:10 a. m. 3:45 p. m. 9:00 p. m.

Accommodation Trains Leave Allegheny

For N. Brighton	For N. Castle.	For Steubenvile.
9:00 a. m.	3:50 p. m.	3:50 p. m.
12:00 m.		
4:30 p. m.		
5:30 p. m.		

Returning, Arrive in Allegheny.

P. F. W. & C. R. W. 7:30 a. m. 8:30 a m. 2:40 p. m. 4:45 p. m.
C. & P. R. R. ....10:00 a. m.

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
On and after MONDAY, Nov. 14, 1864, the trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water streets, as follows:

	Leaves Pittsburgh.	Arrives at Pittsburgh.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:55 a. m.	6:00 p. m.
Express " "	3:00 p. m.	10:00 a. m.
First McKeesport Accommod'tn	11:00 a. m	6:55 a. m.
Second " "	6:15 p. m.	2:05 p. m.
First Braddock's "	7:00 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
Second " "	4:15 p. m.	5:40 p. m.
Sunday Church Train to and from McKeesport	1:00 p. m.	10:00 a. m.

For tickets, apply to A. J. SHANK, Agent.
ap30 W. B. STOUT, Superintendent.

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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.
TEN DAILY TRAINS.
On and after Monday, October 31st, 1864, trains will leave the depot, corner of Liberty and Grant streets, as follows:
FAST MAIL daily, except Sunday, at 2:50 a. m., stopping at principal stations, and making direct connections at Harrisburg with trains for New York, Baltimore and Washington, and at Philadelphia, for New York, Boston, and intermediate points.
HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION, daily, except Sunday, at 6:20 a. m., stopping at all regular stations between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg, and making close connection with trains on Indiana Branch, West Pennsylvania R. R., Ebensburg and Cresson R. R. and Hollidaysburg Branch.
PITTSBURGH & ERIE EXPRESS, daily, except Sunday, at 1:30 P. M., stopping at nearly all the stations between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, and making connections with trains on the Ebensburg and Cresson R. R., Hollidaysburgh Branch R. R., Tyrone and Clearfield and Bald Eagle Valley Branches
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION, daily, except Sunday, at 3:00 p. m., stopping at regular stations between Pittsburgh and Johnstown, and connecting at Blairsville Intersection, with trains on the Indiana Branch and West Pennsylvania R. R.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS, daily, at 4:25 P. M. stopping only at Latrobe, Conemaugh, Gallitzin, Altoona, Huntington, Lewistown, Mifflin, Newport, Marysville, Harrisburg, Lancaster and Downington. At Harrisburg direct connections are made for Baltimore, Washington and New York; at Philadelphia, for New York, Boston and intermediate points. Sleeping cars run through on this train from Pittsburgh to Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, by the Allentown route.
FAST LINE daily, except Sunday, at 9:20 p. m., stopping only at Conemaugh, Gallitzin, Altoona, Huntingdon, Lewistown, Mifflin, Newport, Marysville, Harrisburg, Middletown, Elizabetown, Mt. Joy, Landisville, Lancaster, and Downingtown. At Harrisburg connections are made for New York, Baltimore and Washington. At Philadelphia for New York, Boston and intermediate points.
FIRST ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, daily, except Sunday, at 6:30 a. m.
SECOND ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, daily except Sunday, at 11:40 a. m.
THIRD ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station daily, except Sunday, at 3:40 p. m.
FOURTH ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, daily, except Sunday, at 6:35 p. m
The CHURCH TRAIN leaves Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:05 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:45 p. m.
Returning Trains Arrive in Pittsburg as Follows:

Pittsburgh and Erie Express	12:50 p. m.
Baltimore Express	1:30 p. m.
Philadelphia Express	2:30 p. m.
Fast Mail	1:20 a. m.
Fast Line	2:00 a. m.
Johnstown Accommodation	10:05 a. m.
First Wall's Station Accommodation	6:16 a. m.
Second Wall's Station Accommodation	8:55 a. m.
Third Wall's Station Accommodation	2:10 p. m.
Fourth Wall's Station Accommodation	5:55 p. m.

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